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PRIME SPONSOR REPORT

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Representative Melvin

H 0883 **GENERAL BILL by Melvin

Workers' Compensation Administration; creates Office of Workers' Compensation Administration; requires DMS to provide administrative support; creates Penalty Assessment Section within office; requires assessment of penalties & interest by written order & provides for right to protest such assessment; revises provisions re penalties for late payment; authorizes office to monitor & audit carriers & claims handlers, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

01/21/02 HOUSE Referred to Insurance (CCC); Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations (FRC); Council for Competitive Commerce

01/22/02 HOUSE Introduced, referred to Insurance (CCC); Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations (FRC); Council for Competitive Commerce -HJ 00063

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Insurance (CCC)

H 0885 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Lifelong Learning; Melvin; (CO-SPONSORS) Mahon; Kravitz; Kallinger; Haridopolos; Kilmer (Similar CS/S 1776)

Declaration of Independence/Schools; requires Celebrate Freedom Week to be recognized in public schools each September; requires portion of Declaration of Independence to be recited daily by students during that week; provides for excusal of student from performing required recitation. Creates 233.0659. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/19/02 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 02248

04/15/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

04/30/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-213

S 1776 GENERAL BILL/CS by Education; Clary (Similar CS/H 0885)

Declaration of Independence/Schools; requires Celebrate Freedom Week to be recognized in public schools each September; requires portion of Declaration of Independence to be recited daily by students during that week. Creates 233.0659. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/18/02 SENATE Read second time -SJ 00836

03/19/02 SENATE Substituted CS/HB 885 -SJ 01024; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 885 (Ch. 2002-213)

H 0887 **GENERAL BILL by Melvin; (CO-SPONSORS) Baxley; Kravitz; Wiles (Identical S 1484)

Mandated Property Reform Task Force; establishes Mandated Property Reform Task Force; provides for appointment of members & organization of task force; specifies duties; provides for reports;

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provides for termination. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

02/14/02 HOUSE Favorable by Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); YEAS 13 NAYS 0 -HJ 00274

02/18/02 HOUSE Now in Fiscal Responsibility Council -HJ 00274

S 1484 03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Council on Fiscal Responsibility Council GENERAL BILL by Clary (Identical H 0887)

Mandated Property Reform Task Force; establishes Mandated Property Reform Task Force; provides for appointment of members & organization of task force; specifies duties; provides for reports; provides for termination. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

01/30/02 SENATE Introduced, referred to Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations; Rules and Calendar -SJ 00159

02/07/02 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, 02/12/02, 9:00 am, 309-C --Temporarily postponed

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs

H 0889 **GENERAL BILL by Melvin; (CO-SPONSORS) Harrington (Similar S 1538)

Vessel Warranty Enforcement Act; creates "Vessel Warranty Enforcement Act," also known as "Vessel Lemon Law"; provides for duty of manufacturer to conform vessel to warranty; provides for bad faith claims; creates Florida New Vessel Arbitration Board; provides that certain violations are unfair or deceptive trade practices; provides for vessel dealer liability; provides for resale of returned vessels, etc. Creates 327.901-.919. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

01/21/02 HOUSE Referred to Business Regulation (SGC); Transportation (RIC); Council for Smarter Government

01/22/02 HOUSE Introduced, referred to Business Regulation (SGC); Transportation (RIC); Council for Smarter Government -HJ 00064

S 1538 03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Business Regulation (SGC) GENERAL BILL by Clary (Similar H 0889)

Vessel Warranty Enforcement Act; creates "Vessel Warranty Enforcement Act," also known as "Vessel Lemon Law"; provides for duty of manufacturer to conform vessel to warranty; provides for bad faith claims; creates Florida New Vessel Arbitration Board; provides that certain violations are unfair or deceptive trade practices; provides for vessel dealer liability; provides for

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- S 1538 (Continued)
resale of returned vessels, etc. Creates 327.901-.919. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.
01/22/02 SENATE Filed
01/30/02 SENATE Introduced, referred to Judiciary; Agriculture and Consumer Services; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary; Appropriations -SJ 00162
03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Judiciary
- H 1595 **GENERAL BILL by Melvin
English/Official Language/Task Force; creates Task Force on English as Official Language of Florida; provides for membership & duties; requires report to Governor & Legislature. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
02/05/02 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00181
02/07/02 HOUSE Referred to State Administration (SGC); Council for Smarter Government -HJ 00220
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on State Administration (SGC)
- H 1677 **LOCAL BILL by Melvin
Okaloosa Co./Baker Fire District; amends certain provision re Baker Fire District; revises boundaries of district. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
04/17/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
05/02/02 Vetoed by Governor
05/10/02 HOUSE Veto Message received -HJ 00070 (2002-E)
- H 2017 **GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Council for Lifelong Learning; Melvin; (CO-SPONSORS) Kilmer; Waters (Linked 1ST ENG/H 2019, Compare CS/1ST ENG/S 0660, 1ST ENG/S 1540, CS/1ST ENG/S 1560, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1586, CS/1ST ENG/S 1590, 1ST ENG/S 1984, CS/1ST ENG/S 2022, CS/1ST ENG/S 2488)
Education; creates "Florida K-20 Education Code"; creates specified provisions re "K-20 General Provisions", "K-20 Governance", "Student & Parental Rights & Educational Choices", "Public K-12 Education", "Public Postsecondary Education"; creates specified provisions re "Nonpublic Postsecondary Education", & "Support for Learning & Student Services", etc. Creates Chs. 1000-1013; amends FS. Appropriation. Effective Date: 01/07/2003 except as otherwise provided.
03/20/02 HOUSE Temporarily postponed, on Third Reading -HJ 02177
03/21/02 HOUSE Temporarily postponed, on Third Reading -HJ 02254
03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 20-E (Ch. 2002-387)

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- H 2019 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Council for Lifelong Learning; Melvin (Linked 1ST ENG/H 2017, Compare CS/1ST ENG/S 0660, 1ST ENG/S 1984, CS/1ST ENG/S 2022)
Public Records/Meeting Requirements; creates exemption from public records requirements for specified complaints filed with Commission for Independent Education & all information obtained pursuant to investigation of such complaints by commission; creates exemption from public meeting requirements for proceedings of commission's probable-cause panel; provides time limitation for exemption; provides findings of public necessity, etc. Creates 1005.385. Effective Date: Contingent.
03/19/02 SENATE In Messages
03/21/02 SENATE Received, referred to Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Rules and Calendar -SJ 01496
03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 20-E (Ch. 2002-387)
- S 0660 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Garcia (Linked CS/1ST ENG/S 2022, Compare 1ST ENG/H 2017, 1ST ENG/H 2019)
Public Records/Investigatory Records; exempts certain investigatory records of Commission for Independent Education; provides for future review & repeal; provides statement of public necessity. Creates 246.1112. Effective Date: Contingent.
03/20/02 SENATE Amendment(s) adopted -SJ 01164; Ordered engrossed -SJ 01164
03/22/02 SENATE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 20-E (Ch. 2002-387)
- S 1540 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Villalobos (Similar H 0271, H 1435, CS/S 0088, 1ST ENG/S 1572, CS/1ST ENG/S 2172, CS/1ST ENG/S 2488, Compare H 1445, CS/CS/H 1825, 1ST ENG/H 2017, 1ST ENG/S 0086, CS/1ST ENG/S 1560, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1564, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1586, CS/1ST ENG/S 1590, CS/2ND ENG/S 1844, CS/1ST ENG/S 2022, CS/S 2206)
DOE Reorganization; provides for head of DOE & for its executive director; prescribes powers & duties of State Board of Education; prescribes powers & duties of Education Commissioner; authorizes demonstration program to be called Learning Gateway; authorizes demonstration projects in specified counties; authorizes designated agencies to provide confidential information to such program, etc. Amends 20.15. Effective Date: 01/07/2003.
03/21/02 SENATE Passed as amended; YEAS 38 NAYS 0 -SJ 01238
03/21/02 HOUSE In Messages
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/HB 1825 (Ch. 2002-22), CS/SB 1844 (Ch. 2002-265), SB 20-E (Ch. 2002-387)
- S 1560 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Education; Villalobos (Compare H 0271, H 1435, H 1445, 1ST ENG/H 2017, 1ST ENG/S 0086, CS/S 0088, 1ST ENG/S 1540, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1564, 1ST ENG/S 1572, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1586, CS/1ST ENG/S 1590, CS/2ND ENG/S 1844, CS/1ST

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- S 1560 (Continued)
ENG/S 2022, CS/1ST ENG/S 2172, CS/1ST ENG/S 2488)
Adult, Technical, & Community Educ.; revises provisions governing registration of adult students; revises provisions governing funding of adult & technical education programs; revises provisions governing postsecondary student fees; authorizes use of certain fee revenues to provide child care; revises provisions governing Florida Literacy Corps; authorizes demonstration program to be called Learning Gateway; provides for funding, etc. Amends Ch. 239. Effective Date: 01/07/2003.
03/21/02 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 36 NAYS 1 -SJ 01237
03/21/02 HOUSE In Messages
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1844 (Ch. 2002-265), SB 20-E (Ch. 2002-387)
- S 1586 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Education; Villalobos (Compare H 0271, H 1125, H 1435, H 1445, H 1551, 1ST ENG/H 2017, 1ST ENG/S 0086, CS/S 0088, 1ST ENG/S 1540, CS/S 1552, CS/1ST ENG/S 1560, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1564, 1ST ENG/S 1572, CS/1ST ENG/S 1590, CS/2ND ENG/S 1844, S 1890, CS/1ST ENG/S 2022, CS/1ST ENG/S 2172, CS/1ST ENG/S 2488)
Education Governance; authorizes State Board of Education to adopt rules re child abuse prevention training; provides for said board to adopt rules & procedures re educational benefits provisions for officers & firefighters killed in line of duty; provides that public education is function of state; creates "Education Investment Act"; requires school districts to develop plan for foreign-language curriculum, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 01/07/2003 except as otherwise provided.
03/21/02 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 39 NAYS 0 -SJ 01239
03/21/02 HOUSE In Messages
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1844 (Ch. 2002-265), SB 20-E (Ch. 2002-387)
- S 1590 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Education; Villalobos (Linked H 0271, Compare H 1435, H 1445, 1ST ENG/H 2017, 1ST ENG/S 0086, CS/S 0088, 1ST ENG/S 1540, CS/1ST ENG/S 1560, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1564, 1ST ENG/S 1572, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1586, CS/2ND ENG/S 1844, CS/1ST ENG/S 2022, CS/1ST ENG/S 2172, CS/1ST ENG/S 2488)
Education; eliminates obsolete references to "area" re technical centers operated by school districts; changes term "distance learning" to "distance education"; eliminates obsolete references to State Board of Community Colleges & Board of Regents; authorizes demonstration program to be called Learning Gateway; provides for funding, etc. Amends Chs. 230, 241, 244. Effective Date: 01/07/2003.
03/22/02 HOUSE Read second time -HJ 02759; Amendment pending --Temporarily postponed -HJ 02759; Died on

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Representative Melvin (Continued)

- S 1590 (Continued)
03/22/02 HOUSE Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1844 (Ch. 2002-265)
- S 1984 TRUST FUND/GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Villalobos (Linked S 1558, Compare 1ST ENG/H 2017, 1ST ENG/H 2019, CS/1ST ENG/S 2022) Institutional Assessment TF/DOE; creates said trust fund within DOE; provides for trust fund to be used for operations of Commission for Independent Education; provides for annual carryforward of funds; authorizes commission to establish contingency fund & Student Protection Fund within trust fund; provides for funds in Student Protection Fund to be used to assist students in completing their education under certain circumstances, etc. Creates 246.143. Effective Date: Contingent.
03/21/02 SENATE Passed as amended; YEAS 38 NAYS 0 -SJ 01237
03/21/02 HOUSE In Messages
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 20-E (Ch. 2002-387)
- S 2022 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Education; Villalobos (Linked CS/1ST ENG/S 0660, Compare H 0271, H 1435, H 1445, 1ST ENG/H 2017, 1ST ENG/H 2019, 1ST ENG/S 0086, CS/S 0088, 1ST ENG/S 1540, CS/1ST ENG/S 1560, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1564, 1ST ENG/S 1572, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1586, CS/1ST ENG/S 1590, CS/2ND ENG/S 1844, 1ST ENG/S 1984, CS/1ST ENG/S 2172, CS/1ST ENG/S 2488) Independent Postsecondary Education; eliminates references to nonpublic colleges in provisions stating legislative findings & intent; restricts participation in statewide course numbering system to institutions that provide resident instruction; creates Commission for Independent Education within DOE; provides for licensure of institutions; provides requirements for students of foreign medical schools; requires antihazing policies, etc. Amends Ch. 246. Effective Date: 01/07/2003.
03/21/02 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 39 NAYS 0 -SJ 01282
03/21/02 HOUSE In Messages
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1844 (Ch. 2002-265), SB 20-E (Ch. 2002-387)
- S 2488 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Education; Sullivan; Cowin (Similar H 0271, H 1435, CS/S 0088, 1ST ENG/S 1540, 1ST ENG/S 1572, CS/1ST ENG/S 2172, Compare CS/H 1259, H 1445, 1ST ENG/H 2017, 1ST ENG/S 0086, CS/1ST ENG/S 1560, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1564, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1586, CS/1ST ENG/S 1590, CS/2ND ENG/S 1844, CS/1ST ENG/S 2022, S 2314) Public School Student Progression; (THIS BILL COMBINES S2488,2314) revises guidelines for allocation of school district remedial & supplemental instruction resources; prescribes content of academic improvement plans; requires parental notification of reading deficiency; prohibits social promotion & provides standards for exemptions from mandatory-retention requirements; authorizes

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- S 2488 (Continued)
demonstration program to be called Learning Gateway, etc. Amends 232.245. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.
03/21/02 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 38 NAYS 0 -SJ 01240
03/22/02 HOUSE In Messages; Died in Messages,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1844
(Ch. 2002-265)
- H 2019 **GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Council for Lifelong Learning; Melvin
(Linked 1ST ENG/H 2017, Compare CS/1ST ENG/S 0660, 1ST ENG/S 1984, CS/1ST ENG/S 2022)
Public Records/Meeting Requirements; creates exemption from public records requirements for specified complaints filed with Commission for Independent Education & all information obtained pursuant to investigation of such complaints by commission; creates exemption from public meeting requirements for proceedings of commission's probable-cause panel; provides time limitation for exemption; provides findings of public necessity, etc. Creates 1005.385. Effective Date: Contingent.
03/19/02 SENATE In Messages
03/21/02 SENATE Received, referred to Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Rules and Calendar -SJ 01496
03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 20-E (Ch. 2002-387)
- H 2017 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Council for Lifelong Learning; Melvin; (CO-SPONSORS) Kilmer; Waters (Linked 1ST ENG/H 2019, Compare CS/1ST ENG/S 0660, 1ST ENG/S 1540, CS/1ST ENG/S 1560, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1586, CS/1ST ENG/S 1590, 1ST ENG/S 1984, CS/1ST ENG/S 2022, CS/1ST ENG/S 2488)
Education; creates "Florida K-20 Education Code"; creates specified provisions re "K-20 General Provisions", "K-20 Governance", "Student & Parental Rights & Educational Choices", "Public K-12 Education", "Public Postsecondary Education"; creates specified provisions re "Nonpublic Postsecondary Education", & "Support for Learning & Student Services", etc. Creates Chs. 1000-1013; amends FS. Appropriation. Effective Date: 01/07/2003 except as otherwise provided.
03/20/02 HOUSE Temporarily postponed, on Third Reading -HJ 02177
03/21/02 HOUSE Temporarily postponed, on Third Reading -HJ 02254
03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 20-E (Ch. 2002-387)
- S 0660 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Garcia (Linked CS/1ST ENG/S 2022, Compare 1ST ENG/H 2017, 1ST ENG/H 2019)
Public Records/Investigatory Records; exempts certain investigatory records of Commission for Independent Education; provides for

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- S 0660 (Continued)
future review & repeal; provides statement of public necessity.
Creates 246.1112. Effective Date: Contingent.
03/20/02 SENATE Amendment(s) adopted -SJ 01164; Ordered engrossed
-SJ 01164
03/22/02 SENATE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,
refer to SB 20-E (Ch. 2002-387)
- S 1984 TRUST FUND/GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Villalobos (Linked S 1558,
Compare 1ST ENG/H 2017, 1ST ENG/H 2019, CS/1ST ENG/S 2022)
Institutional Assessment TF/DOE; creates said trust fund within
DOE; provides for trust fund to be used for operations of
Commission for Independent Education; provides for annual
carryforward of funds; authorizes commission to establish
contingency fund & Student Protection Fund within trust fund;
provides for funds in Student Protection Fund to be used to assist
students in completing their education under certain circumstances,
etc. Creates 246.143. Effective Date: Contingent.
03/21/02 SENATE Passed as amended; YEAS 38 NAYS 0 -SJ 01237
03/21/02 HOUSE In Messages
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,
refer to SB 20-E (Ch. 2002-387)
- S 2022 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Education; Villalobos (Linked CS/1ST
ENG/S 0660, Compare H 0271, H 1435, H 1445, 1ST ENG/H 2017, 1ST
ENG/H 2019, 1ST ENG/S 0086, CS/S 0088, 1ST ENG/S 1540, CS/1ST
ENG/S 1560, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1564, 1ST ENG/S 1572, CS/CS/1ST
ENG/S 1586, CS/1ST ENG/S 1590, CS/2ND ENG/S 1844, 1ST ENG/S 1984,
CS/1ST ENG/S 2172, CS/1ST ENG/S 2488)
Independent Postsecondary Education; eliminates references to
nonpublic colleges in provisions stating legislative findings &
intent; restricts participation in statewide course numbering
system to institutions that provide resident instruction; creates
Commission for Independent Education within DOE; provides for
licensure of institutions; provides requirements for students of
foreign medical schools; requires antihazing policies, etc. Amends
Ch. 246. Effective Date: 01/07/2003.
03/21/02 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 39 NAYS 0 -SJ 01282
03/21/02 HOUSE In Messages
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,
refer to CS/SB 1844 (Ch. 2002-265), SB 20-E (Ch.
2002-387)
- H 9059 **RESOLUTION by Melvin (Similar S 1482)
Gates, William H. III; recognizes William H. Gates III for his
commitment to education & for his generosity in providing citizens
of Florida, by means of Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, expanded
learning opportunities through use of technology & technological
infrastructure in state's schools & communities.

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H 9059 *(Continued)

02/26/02 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00283

02/27/02 HOUSE Placed on Ceremonial Resolutions Calendar -
Publication only -HJ 00327; Adopted -HJ 00327

S 1482 RESOLUTION by Clary (Similar H 9059)

Gates, William H. III; recognizes William H. Gates III for his
commitment to education & for his generosity in providing to
residents of Florida, by means of Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation,
expanded learning opportunities through use of technology &
technological infrastructure in state's schools & communities.

01/22/02 SENATE Filed

03/22/02 SENATE Died, not introduced, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,
refer to HR 9059 (Adopted)

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- H 0007 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Colleges & Universities (LLC); Baker;
(CO-SPONSORS) Bean; Wiles; Cantens; Harrington; Bennett; Allen;
Murman; Clarke; Kallinger; Gibson; Bilirakis; Brummer; Paul; Hogan;
Attkisson; Harrell; Jordan; Melvin; Spratt; Fiorentino; McGriff;
Baxley; Kilmer; Waters; Pickens; Stansel (Similar CS/S 0128)
National Guard/Residency/Tuition; cites act as "Sergeant Larry
Bowman Act"; revises provisions re determination of residency for
tuition purposes to classify certain members of active Florida
National Guard as residents for tuition purposes. Amends 240.1201.
Effective Date: 07/01/2002.
03/06/02 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 00846
05/15/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
05/23/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-270
- S 0128 GENERAL BILL/CS by Appropriations; Pruitt; (CO-SPONSORS) Crist
(Similar CS/H 0007)
National Guard/Residency/Tuition; cites act as "Sergeant Larry
Bowman Act"; provides that active members of Florida National Guard
are residents of this state for tuition purposes. Amends 240.1201.
Effective Date: 07/01/2002.
02/27/02 SENATE Read second time -SJ 00335
02/28/02 SENATE Substituted CS/HB 7 -SJ 00364; Laid on Table,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 7 (Ch.
2002-270)
- H 0079 **GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Council for Lifelong Learning; Kravitz;
Fasano; Fiorentino; (CO-SPONSORS) Sobel; Melvin; Murman; Baker;
Stansel; Lynn; Bense; Richardson; Bean; Gannon; Needelman; Romeo;
Crow; Pickens; Bendross-Mindingall; Wishner; Bullard (Similar
CS/S 0174)
Sexual Offenders; requires school bus stop location information;
prohibits certain sexual offenders subject to conditional release
supervision from living within specified distance of certain places
where children congregate; prohibits persons convicted of certain
sex crimes from residing within 1,000 feet of school, day care
center, park, or playground. Amends 234.02, 947.1405; creates
794.065. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.
03/22/02 HOUSE CS passed as amended; YEAS 112 NAYS 0 -HJ 02780
03/22/02 SENATE In Messages; Died in Messages
- S 0174 GENERAL BILL/CS by Criminal Justice; Smith; (CO-SPONSORS) Crist
(Similar CS/1ST ENG/H 0079)
Sexual Offenders; prohibits certain sexual offenders subject to
conditional release supervision from living within specified
distance of certain places where children congregate; prohibits
persons convicted of certain sex crimes from residing within
specified distance of school, day care center, park, or playground.
Amends 947.1405; creates 794.065. Effective Date: Upon becoming

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03/14/02 SENATE Withdrawn from Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs -SJ 00588; Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary

H 0095 **GENERAL BILL by Trovillion; (CO-SPONSORS) Baxley; Hogan; Melvin; Bean; Spratt; Davis; Jordan; Kallinger; Wilson; Pickens; Rubio; Harrington; Ball; Holloway; Brown; Wishner; Bullard; Allen; Mayfield (Identical CS/S 0392, S 0404)

Public Libraries/Computers/Obscenity; requires public libraries to install & maintain computer software or equivalent technology that prohibits access to obscene materials by minors; provides that installation of software or technology in library having only one public-access computer is within library's discretion; provides finding of important state interest. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

03/11/02 SENATE In Messages

03/15/02 SENATE Received, referred to Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs -SJ 00804

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity

S 0392 GENERAL BILL/CS by Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Wise; Campbell (Identical H 0095, S 0404)

Public Libraries/Computers/Obscenity; (THIS BILL COMBINES S392,404) requires public libraries to install & maintain computer software or equivalent technology that prohibits access to obscene materials by minors; provides that installation of software or technology in library having only one public-access computer is within library's discretion; provides finding of important state interest. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

02/19/02 SENATE Favorable by- Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs; YEAS 5 NAYS 0 -SJ 00291

02/20/02 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on second reading -SJ 00291

03/22/02 SENATE Died on Calendar

S 0404 GENERAL BILL by Campbell (Identical H 0095, CS/S 0392)

Public Libraries/Computers/Obscenity; (THIS BILL COMBINED IN CS/S392,404) requires public libraries to install & maintain computer software or equivalent technology that prohibits access to obscene materials by minors; provides that installation of software or technology in library having only one public-access computer is within library's discretion; provides finding of important state interest. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

02/05/02 SENATE CS combines this bill with 392; CS by Governmental Oversight and Productivity; YEAS 7 NAYS 0

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S 0404 (Continued)

02/05/02 SENATE -SJ 00200; Original bill laid on Table, refer to combined CS/SB 392 (Died on Senate Calendar)

H 0123 **GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Baxley; (CO-SPONSORS) Flanagan; Harrell; Attkisson; Melvin; Mack; Baker; Brown; Holloway; Kendrick; Bullard (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 0462, Compare H 1995, CS/2ND ENG/S 0426) Excise Tax on Documents; provides limit on amount of tax on promissory or nonnegotiable notes, written obligations to pay money, & assignments of wages or other compensation & on certain promissory or nonnegotiable notes, written obligations to pay money, or other compensation made in connection with sales made under retail charge account services. Amends 201.08. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/19/02 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Substituted CS/SB 462; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 462 (Ch. 2002-26), CS/SB 426 (Ch. 2002-218) -HJ 02068

S 0462 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Finance and Taxation; Pruitt (Similar 1ST ENG/H 0123, Compare H 1995, CS/2ND ENG/S 0426) Excise Tax on Documents; provides for maximum tax that must be paid on unsecured obligations; conforms cross-references; revises exemption from equalizing excise tax on products made from certain citrus fruit. Amends 201.08, 601.155. Effective Date: 07/01/2002. 03/22/02 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 01538 04/05/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor 04/16/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-26; See also CS/SB 426 (Ch. 2002-218)

H 1995 GENERAL BILL by Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Wallace (Similar CS/2ND ENG/S 0426, CS/1ST ENG/S 2302, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0123, H 0169, H 0347, H 0951, CS/1ST ENG/H 1511, CS/1ST ENG/S 0462, S 1068, S 1104, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1610, CS/S 2164) Tax Administration; requires clerk of court to give notice to DOR if there is surplus resulting from foreclosure of unemployment compensation tax lien; permits dept. to participate in disbursement of unemployment compensation tax lien foreclosure funds; eliminates requirement that corporation file intangibles tax return when no tax is due; specifies basis for annual calculations of county distributions of severance tax on phosphate rock, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$300,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

03/01/02 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00361

03/04/02 HOUSE Referred to Fiscal Responsibility Council -HJ 00367

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Council on Fiscal Responsibility Council, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 426 (Ch. 2002-218), CS/HB 1511 (Ch. 2002-48), CS/SB 462 (Ch. 2002-26), SB 1104 (Ch. 2002-171)

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S 0426 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Finance and Taxation; Campbell (Similar H 1995, CS/1ST ENG/S 2302, Compare CS/H 0121, 1ST ENG/H 0123, H 0169, H 0347, H 0951, H 2023, S 0126, CS/1ST ENG/S 0462, S 1068, S 1104)

Tax Administration; requires clerk of court to give notice to DOR if there is surplus resulting from foreclosure of unemployment compensation tax lien; permits dept. to participate in disbursement of unemployment compensation tax lien foreclosure funds; eliminates requirement that corporation file intangibles tax return when no tax is due; specifies basis for annual calculations of county distributions of severance tax on phosphate rock, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 05/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.

03/21/02 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 01331

04/18/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/01/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-218; See also CS/SB 462 (Ch. 2002-26), SB 1104 (Ch. 2002-171)

H 0141 **GENERAL BILL by Greenstein; (CO-SPONSORS) Fasano; Lynn; Crow; Ausley; Sobel; Wiles; Rich; Lerner; Heyman; McGriff; Joyner; Betancourt; Gannon; Trovillion; Gibson; Bennett; Sorensen; Gottlieb; Harrell; Detert; Weissman; Richardson; Paul; Romeo; Clarke; Bucher; Stansel; Justice; Kendrick; Maygarden; Seiler; Flanagan; Kosmas; Russell; Rubio; Dockery; Littlefield; Melvin; Spratt; Jordan; Fiorentino; Kilmer; Wilson; Waters; Jennings; Pickens; Henriquez; Allen; Baxley; Bilirakis; Siplin; Needelman; Farkas; Carassas; Ryan; Murman; Berfield; Peterman; Bullard; Mayfield

Transportation Disadvantaged; revises fees for registration of certain trucks, trailers, & motorcycles & for tag transfers & temporary tags to be deposited into Transportation Disadvantaged Trust Fund. Amends 320.03. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

01/23/02 HOUSE Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by Transportation (RIC); YEAS 12 NAYS 2 -HJ 00137

01/24/02 HOUSE Now in Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC) -HJ 00137

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC)

H 0207 **GENERAL BILL by Sorensen; Fasano; (CO-SPONSORS) Baxley; Melvin; Baker; Negron; Needelman; Crow; Bennett; Stansel; Haridopolos; Davis; Pickens; Harrington

Legislators' Compensation; reduces compensation of legislators for specified period; provides for future repeal of such reduction. Amends 11.13. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

10/18/01 HOUSE Referred to State Administration (SGC); Fiscal Responsibility Council

12/31/01 HOUSE Withdrawn from State Administration (SGC); Fiscal

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

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12/31/01 HOUSE Responsibility Council; Withdrawn prior to
introduction -HJ 00022

H 0345 *GENERAL BILL by Kottkamp; (CO-SPONSORS) Hogan; Spratt; Henriquez;
Bense; Melvin; Paul; Murman; Harrell; Stansel; Sobel; Gannon;
Cantens; Ross; Ryan; Seiler; Smith (Similar S 1832)

Powered Shopping Carts/Negligence; provides that specified
assistive technology devices shall not be considered dangerous
instrumentalities; defines "powered shopping cart". Creates
768.093. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/01/02 HOUSE Withdrawn from Agriculture & Consumer Affairs (CCC)
-HJ 00334; Now in Council for Smarter Government

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Council on Council for Smarter Government,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 1832 (Ch.
2002-33)

S 1832 GENERAL BILL by Peadar (Similar H 0345)

Powered Shopping Carts/Negligence; provides that specified
assistive technology devices shall not be considered dangerous
instrumentalities; defines "powered shopping cart". Creates
768.093. Effective Date: 04/16/2002.

03/22/02 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02115

04/05/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

04/16/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-33

H 0353 *GENERAL BILL/CS by Colleges & Universities (LLC); Waters;
(CO-SPONSORS) Heyman; Melvin; Baxley; Attkisson; Bullard; Wilson
(Identical S 2070)

Universities & Community Colleges; revises membership of state
university boards of trustees; provides requirements for university
student governments; provides requirements re adoption of internal
procedures; provides for review of internal procedure disapproved
by university president; revises membership of Board of Trustees of
New College of Fla.; repeals provision re suspension & removal of
elected student government officials, etc. Amends Chs. 229, 240;
repeals 240.136. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/14/02 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 01433

04/15/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

04/25/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-188

S 2070 GENERAL BILL by Sullivan; (CO-SPONSORS) Klein (Identical
CS/H 0353)

Universities & Community Colleges; revises membership of state
university boards of trustees; provides requirements for university
student governments; provides requirements re adoption of internal
procedures; provides for review of internal procedure disapproved
by university president; revises membership of Board of Trustees of

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New College of Fla.; repeals provision re suspension & removal of elected student government officials, etc. Amends Chs. 229, 240; repeals 240.136. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/06/02 SENATE Read second time -SJ 00403

03/13/02 SENATE Substituted CS/HB 353 -SJ 00486; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 353 (Ch. 2002-188)

H 0377 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Competitive Commerce; Clarke; (CO-SPONSORS) Trovillion; Heyman; Evers; Bean; Bullard; Baxley; Maygarden; Davis; Kallinger; Mayfield; Harrington; Benson; Allen; Negron; Atwater; Harrell; Prieguez; Holloway; Cantens; Greenstein; Bowen; Barreiro; Detert; Green; Flanagan; Arza; Dockery; Byrd; Justice; Stansel; Murman; Melvin; Wiles; Kilmer; Russell; Brown; Spratt; Waters; Paul; Kendrick; Attkisson; Kosmas; Hogan; Meadows; Sobel; Bucher; Gannon; Weissman; Bense; Baker; Goodlette; Mack; Crow; Rubio; Bennett; Cusack; Gottlieb; Lynn; Rich; McGriff; Berfield; Mahon; Alexander; Smith; Jennings; Kottkamp; Gardiner; Haridopolos; Ryan; Bilirakis; Carassas; Lee; Pickens; Simmons; Jordan; Mealor; Hart; Henriquez; Ross; Johnson; Gibson; Slosberg; Gelber; Joyner; Fields; Frankel; Kravitz; Ritter; Harper; Seiler; Farkas; Littlefield; Wallace; Fiorentino; Diaz de la Portilla; Needelman; Fasano; Sorensen; Garcia; Ball; Brutus; Bendross-Mindingall; Machek; Romeo; Lerner; Argenziano; Richardson; Ausley; Wilson; Wishner; Betancourt; Diaz-Balart; Brummer (Similar CS/S 0544)

Florida Arts Council/Dept. of State; revises membership of & appoints authority for Florida Arts Council; provides for terms of members; provides limitation on consecutive terms of membership; provides qualifications for council appointees; revises duty of council; revises scope of challenge grant program authorized by Cultural Affairs Division of Dept. of State; provides match ratio criteria for local, regional, & state or capital projects. Amends 265.285,.286. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/15/02 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 01969

04/17/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

04/29/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-202

S 0544 GENERAL BILL/CS by Appropriations; Pruitt; (CO-SPONSORS) Clary; Sanderson; Dawson; Klein; Villalobos; Posey; Mitchell; Jones (Similar CS/H 0377)

Florida Arts Council/Dept. of State; revises membership of & appoints authority for Florida Arts Council; provides for terms of members; provides limitation on consecutive terms of membership; provides qualifications for council appointees; revises duty of council; revises scope of challenge grant program authorized by Cultural Affairs Division of Dept. of State; provides match ratio

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

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criteria for local, regional, & state or capital projects. Amends 265.285,.286. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.
03/13/02 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 00509;
Substituted CS/HB 377 -SJ 00488; Laid on Table,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 377
(Ch. 2002-202)
- H 0395 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Smarter Government; Detert;
(CO-SPONSORS) Ausley; Gannon; Brown; Melvin; Clarke (Similar
CS/S 0924)
Commodity Procurement; includes certain equipment, accounting
software, & services under deferred payment commodity contracts
which replace state accounting & cash management systems. Amends
287.063,.064. Effective Date: 04/22/2002.
03/15/02 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 01969
04/08/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
04/22/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-62
- S 0924 GENERAL BILL/CS by Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Clary
(Similar CS/H 0395)
Deferred-payment Commodity Contracts; permits deferred-payment
commodity contracts for replacing state accounting &
cash-management systems to include certain commodities & services.
Amends 287.063,.064. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
03/13/02 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 00509;
Substituted CS/HB 395 -SJ 00492; Laid on Table,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 395
(Ch. 2002-62)
- H 0439 **GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Stansel; (CO-SPONSORS) Mahon; Kravitz;
Gibson; Attkisson; Melvin; Baxley; Cusack; Baker; Kendrick; Spratt;
Heyman; Harrington; Waters; Allen; Hogan; Dockery; Greenstein;
Lynn; Argenziano; Slosberg; Lerner; Wilson; Sobel; Richardson;
Gelber; Rich; Joyner; Fields (Similar S 0496)
Military/Dependent Education Benefit; provides educational
opportunity at state expense for dependent children of military
personnel who died or suffered service-connected 100-percent total
& permanent disability in Operation Enduring Freedom; specifies
documentation which constitutes proof of eligibility for such
benefits; revises eligibility age for dependent children of certain
military personnel to receive educational benefits. Creates
295.0185; amends 295.02. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.
03/01/02 SENATE In Messages
03/07/02 SENATE Received, referred to Comprehensive Planning, Local
and Military Affairs; Education; Appropriations
Subcommittee on Education; Appropriations -SJ 00483

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03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 496 (Ch. 2002-279)

S 0496 GENERAL BILL by Mitchell (Similar 1ST ENG/H 0439)

Military/Dependent Education Benefit; provides educational opportunity at state expense for dependent children of military personnel who die or suffer specified disability in Operation Enduring Freedom; specifies documentation that constitutes proof of eligibility for such benefits. Creates 295.0185. Effective Date: 05/24/2002.

03/20/02 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01222

05/16/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/24/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-279

H 0441 **GENERAL BILL by Cantens; Berfield; Lerner; Heyman; Romeo; (CO-SPONSORS) Justice; Greenstein; Mahon; Murman; Machek; Rich; Bullard; Betancourt; Richardson; Russell; Weissman; Gannon; Kilmer; Ausley; Lynn; Meador; Trovillion; Needelman; Harrell; Melvin; Ryan; Wilson; Fiorentino; Clarke; Stansel; Baxley; Gottlieb; Flanagan; Slosberg; Haridopolos; Brummer; Atwater; Bendross-Mindingall; Crow; Kosmas; Sobel; Diaz-Balart; Bucher; Mayfield; Joyner; Gelber; Fields (Identical S 0722)

License Plate/Breast Cancer Research; provides for Breast Cancer Research license plate; provides for use fee; directs HSMV to develop said license plate; provides for distribution & use of fees. Amends 320.08056,.08058. Effective Date: 04/29/2002.

03/13/02 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 01223

04/22/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

04/29/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-203

S 0722 GENERAL BILL by Sanderson; (CO-SPONSORS) Brown-Waite; Holzendorf; Sebesta; Pruitt; Villalobos (Identical H 0441)

License Plate/Breast Cancer Research; provides for Breast Cancer Research license plate; provides for use fee; directs HSMV to develop said license plate; provides for distribution & use of fees. Amends 320.08056,.08058. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/06/02 SENATE Read second time -SJ 00411

03/07/02 SENATE Substituted HB 441 -SJ 00464; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 441 (Ch. 2002-203)

H 0463 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Council for Lifelong Learning; Education Appropriations (FRC); Garcia; Arza; (CO-SPONSORS) Harrington; Hogan; Mahon; Melvin; Dockery (Similar S 1090)
Student Courses/Withdrawal/Military; requires rules & policies by district school boards, community college district boards of

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H 0463 ** (Continued)

trustees, & university boards of trustees re student withdrawal from courses due to military service; provides that student shall not suffer academic or financial penalties; authorizes refund of fees. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

02/27/02 HOUSE Temporarily postponed, on Third Reading -HJ 00299

03/01/02 HOUSE Substituted SB 1090; Laid on Table,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 1090 (Ch.
2002-280) -HJ 00334

S 1090 GENERAL BILL by Meek (Similar CS/CS/H 0463)

Student Courses/Withdrawal/Military; requires rules & policies by district school boards, community college district boards of trustees, & university boards of trustees re student withdrawal from courses due to military service; provides that student shall not suffer academic or financial penalties; authorizes refund of fees. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/05/02 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 00451

05/16/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/24/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-280

H 0473 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Smarter Government; Gardiner;

(CO-SPONSORS) Harrell; Negron; Stansel; Waters; Kilmer; Gannon; Melvin; Green; Sobel; Paul; Benson (Similar CS/S 0712)

Use of "Chamber of Commerce" Term; provides definitions; prohibits certain business entities from using term "chamber of commerce" under certain circumstances; provides exemptions for certain entities in existence on or before October 1, 1992; provides penalty; limits application of requirements; authorizes chambers of commerce to sue certain business entities to enjoin use of such term. Creates 501.97. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

03/11/02 SENATE In Messages

03/15/02 SENATE Received, referred to Commerce and Economic Opportunities; Judiciary -SJ 00805

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Commerce and Economic Opportunities

S 0712 GENERAL BILL/CS by Commerce and Economic Opportunities; Dyer; (CO-SPONSORS) Futch (Similar CS/H 0473)

Use of "Chamber of Commerce" Term; prohibits certain business entities from using term "chamber of commerce" under certain circumstances; provides exemptions for certain entities in existence on or before October 1, 1992; provides penalty; limits application of requirements; authorizes chambers of commerce to sue certain business entities to enjoin use of such term. Creates 501.97. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

03/12/02 SENATE Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by- Judiciary;

YEAS 9 NAYS 0 -SJ 00511

03/13/02 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on second reading -SJ 00511

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03/22/02 SENATE Died on Calendar

H 0491 **GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Smarter Government; Goodlette; (CO-SPONSORS) Carassas; Crow; Gannon; Betancourt; Kottkamp; Trovillion; Spratt; Ritter; Rubio; Gottlieb; Lynn; Cusack; Meadows; Detert; Greenstein; Kilmer; Paul; Bennett; Waters; Smith; Lerner; Richardson; Ross; Benson; Heyman; Melvin; Garcia; Rich; Hogan; Gelber; Sobel; Brutus; Seiler; Bucher; Wilson; Baxley; Kendrick; Fiorentino; Holloway; Green; Evers; Ausley; Justice; Cantens; Joyner; Byrd; Bense; Flanagan; Bendross-Mindingall (Similar CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0512)

Civil Legal Assistance Act; creates Florida Access to Civil Legal Assistance Act; provides definitions; specifies powers of DCA for certain purposes; limits use of certain funds for certain purposes; requires DCA to contract for delivery of civil legal assistance to certain persons through not-for-profit legal aid organizations; provides contract requirements; specifies application; requires DCA to ensure accountability; provides limitations on use of state funds, etc. Effective Date: 05/30/2002.

03/19/02 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 02248

05/20/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/30/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-288

S 0512 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Judiciary; Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs; Saunders; (CO-SPONSORS) Lawson; Sanderson; Peaden; Rossin; Sullivan; Dawson; Miller; Holzendorf; Mitchell; Wise; Campbell; Garcia; Crist (Similar CS/2ND ENG/H 0491)

Civil Legal Assistance Act; creates Florida Access to Civil Legal Assistance Act; provides definitions; specifies powers of DCA for certain purposes; limits use of certain funds for certain purposes; requires DCA to contract for delivery of civil legal assistance to certain persons through not-for-profit legal aid organizations; provides contract requirements; specifies application; requires DCA to ensure accountability; provides for eligibility for state support, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/15/02 SENATE Ordered engrossed -SJ 00798

03/19/02 SENATE Substituted CS/HB 491 -SJ 01022; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 491 (Ch. 2002-288)

H 0493 **GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Fiorentino; (CO-SPONSORS) Cantens; Melvin; Bean; Gannon; Stansel; McGriff; Smith; Brown; Brummer; Fasano; Kendrick; Byrd (Similar CS/CS/S 1300)
Voter Registration; authorizes private individuals & groups to reproduce voter registration applications under certain conditions;

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H 0493 *(Continued)

requires HSMV to forward copies of unsigned voter registration applications within specified period to appropriate supervisors of elections; requires voter registration ID cards to have name, rather than signature, of supervisor of elections; provides for update of voter signatures, etc. Amends Ch. 97, 98.0977; creates 98.077. Effective Date: 04/25/2002.

03/21/02 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 02761

04/10/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

04/25/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-189

S 1300 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Judiciary; Ethics and Elections; Sebesta (Similar 2ND ENG/H 0493)

Voter Registration; authorizes voter registration application to be reproduced; modifies information requested on voter registration application; requires HSMV to forward unsigned voter registration applications to supervisors of elections; provides for electors to change their address on voter registration rolls by telephonic or electronic means, etc. Amends 97.052,.057,.058,.071,.1031, 98.0977; reenacts 97.057,.058,.0585, 98.015,.461. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/21/02 SENATE Amendment(s) adopted -SJ 01435; Substituted HB 493 -SJ 01435; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 493 (Ch. 2002-189)

H 0499 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Smarter Government; Mahon; (CO-SPONSORS) Melvin; Cantens; Kosmas; Hogan (Similar CS/S 0664)

Real Estate Professionals; requires educational courses that are prerequisites to licensure as broker, broker-salesperson, or salesperson or maintenance or renewal of such licensure to be made available by means of distance learning; amends provision re real estate appraisers to require distance learning to be made available for continuing education courses, etc. Amends 475.17,.182,.451,.618; reenacts 475.05. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

02/28/02 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 00329

03/11/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor -HJ 00978

03/14/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-9 -HJ 01438

S 0664 GENERAL BILL/CS by Regulated Industries; Carlton (Similar CS/H 0499)

Real Estate Professionals; requires educational courses that are prerequisites to licensure as broker, broker-salesperson, or salesperson or maintenance or renewal of such licensure to be made available by means of distance learning; amends provision re real estate appraisers to require distance learning to be made available for continuing education courses, etc. Amends 475.17,.182,.451,.618; reenacts 475.05. Effective Date:

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07/01/2002.

02/14/02 SENATE Read second time -SJ 00248

02/27/02 SENATE Substituted CS/HB 499 -SJ 00345; Laid on Table,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 499
(Ch. 2002-9)

H 0531 **GENERAL BILL by Andrews; Alexander; (CO-SPONSORS) Cantens; Lacasa; Melvin; Wallace; Betancourt; Kendrick; Greenstein; Bennett; Bullard; Allen; Baker; Gottlieb (Identical S 1054, Similar H 1969) Technological & Economic Development; creates Commission on Intellectual Capital, Technology Transfer, & Leading Edge Business Development; provides for membership; provides purposes; requires commission to develop plan; requires annual report to Legislature; provides commission goals; provides for staff. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

01/22/02 HOUSE Introduced, referred to Information Technology (RIC); Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations (FRC); Council for Lifelong Learning -HJ 00039

02/04/02 HOUSE On Committee agenda-- Information Technology (RIC), 02/06/02, 9:00 am, 212-K

02/06/02 HOUSE Unfavorable by Information Technology (RIC), laid on Table; YEAS 1 NAYS 7 -HJ 00226

S 1054 GENERAL BILL by Posey (Identical H 0531, Similar H 1969) Technological & Economic Development; creates Commission on Intellectual Capital, Technology Transfer, & Leading Edge Business Development; provides for membership; provides purposes; requires commission to develop plan; requires annual report to Legislature; provides commission goals; provides for staff. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

01/09/02 SENATE Prefiled

01/24/02 SENATE Introduced, referred to Commerce and Economic Opportunities; Education; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; Appropriations -SJ 00131

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Commerce and Economic Opportunities

H 1969 GENERAL BILL by Workforce & Technical Skills (LLC); Andrews (Similar H 0531, S 1054)

Economic Development; creates Commission on Intellectual Capital & Leading Edge Business Development; provides for membership, purposes & goals; requires annual report to Legislature; provides for staff & administrative support. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/08/02 HOUSE Favorable by- Fiscal Responsibility Council; YEAS 21 NAYS 0 -HJ 00978

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03/11/02 HOUSE Placed on Calendar -HJ 00978

03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar

H 0547 **GENERAL BILL/CS/3RD ENG by Council for Smarter Government; Local Government & Veterans Affairs (SGC); Sorensen; (CO-SPONSORS) Brummer; Davis; Gibson; Bowen; Littlefield; Green; Bilirakis; Detert; Farkas; Carassas; Needelman; Pickens; Bullard; Holloway; Jennings; Kilmer; Melvin; Trovillion; Maygarden; Goodlette; Diaz-Balart; Byrd; Flanagan; Paul; Kravitz; Simmons; Cantens; Heyman; Harrington; Ryan; Evers; Ausley; Sobel; Seiler; Clarke; Spratt; Arza; Fiorentino; Wilson; Mayfield (Similar S 1456) Affordable Housing; provides that processing of permit applications for affordable housing projects under specified provision re management & storage of surface waters shall be expedited; provides that project located in county that includes or has included area of critical state concern for which Legislature intends to provide affordable housing & that meets certain income criteria is eligible under State Apartment Incentive Loan Program, etc. Amends Ch. 420, 373.4141. Effective Date: 04/23/2002.

03/21/02 HOUSE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -HJ 02751

04/10/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

04/23/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-160

S 1456 GENERAL BILL by Constantine (Similar CS/3RD ENG/H 0547)

Affordable Housing; provides that processing of permit applications for affordable housing projects under specified provision re management & storage of surface waters, shall be expedited; provides that, until specified date, project located in county that includes or has included area of critical state concern for which Legislature intends to provide affordable housing & that meets certain income criteria is eligible under State Apt. Incentive Loan Prog., etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/21/02 SENATE Amendment(s) adopted -SJ 01398; Substituted CS/HB 547 -SJ 01398; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 547 (Ch. 2002-160)

H 0551 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Insurance (CCC); Brown; (CO-SPONSORS) Wiles; Melvin; Kallinger; Kravitz; Rubio; Clarke; Joyner; Fields (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 1126, Compare CS/H 1361, 1ST ENG/H 2021, CS/2ND ENG/S 1418)

Insurance Policy Holder Protection; cites as "Insurance Policyholder Protection Act of 2002"; revises certain agent commission payment & policy servicing procedures & requirements; adds area eligible for coverage by Fla. Windstorm Underwriting Assoc.; preserves policyholder's right to select & maintain certain agents; authorizes DOI to adopt rules to preserve such right;

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Representative Melvin (Continued)

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provides application. Amends 627.351,.3511; creates 627.3517.

Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/13/02 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Substituted CS/SB 1126; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1126 (Ch. 2002-221), CS/SB 1418 (Ch. 2002-240) -HJ 01136

S 1126

GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Banking and Insurance; Posey; (CO-SPONSORS) Wasserman Schultz; Latvala (Similar CS/H 0551, Compare CS/H 1361, 1ST ENG/H 2021, CS/2ND ENG/S 1418, S 2328) Insurance Policy Holder Protection; creates Insurance Policy Holder Protection Act; revises certain agent commission payment & policy servicing procedures & requirements; adds area eligible for coverage from Fla. Windstorm Underwriting Association; preserves policyholder's right to select & maintain certain agents; authorizes DOI to adopt rules to preserve such right; provides application. Amends 627.351,.3511; creates 627.3517. Effective Date: 05/01/2002.

03/22/02 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 02101

04/18/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/01/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-221; See also CS/SB 1418 (Ch. 2002-240)

H 1361

GENERAL BILL/CS by Insurance (CCC); Atwater; Barreiro; Heyman; Sorensen; (CO-SPONSORS) Garcia; Diaz-Balart; Mayfield; Cantens; Goodlette; Harrell; Bilirakis; Allen; Lacasa; Carassas; Andrews; Prieguez; Green; Fiorentino; Kottkamp; Arza; Lerner; Needelman; Bucher; Slosberg; Haridopolos; Hogan; Berfield; Frankel; Wilson; Sobel; Brutus; Gelber; Rich; Fields (Similar 1ST ENG/H 2021, CS/2ND ENG/S 1418, Compare H 0109, CS/2ND ENG/H 0385, CS/H 0551, CS/1ST ENG/S 1126, S 1784, CS/2ND ENG/S 1822) Insurance; provides for waiver of required flood insurance under certain circumstances; renames Residential Property & Casualty Joint Underwriting Association as Citizens Property Insurance Corporation to provide residential & commercial property insurance; provides for emergency assessments for policyholders of participating insurers; authorizes corp. to enter into quota share primary insurance agreements, etc. Amends Ch. 627, 215.555. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/01/02 HOUSE Pending review of CS under Rule 6 -HJ 00366

03/04/02 HOUSE Now in State Administration (SGC) -HJ 00366

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on State Administration (SGC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1418 (Ch. 2002-240), CS/HB 385 (Ch. 2002-282), CS/SB 1126 (Ch. 2002-221)

H 2021

GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Fiscal Responsibility Council; Alexander; Atwater; Sorensen (Similar CS/H 1361, CS/2ND ENG/S 1418, Compare H 0109, CS/2ND ENG/H 0385, CS/H 0551, CS/1ST ENG/S 1126, S 1784, CS/2ND ENG/S 1822)

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
BILLS

Representative Melvin (Continued)

H 2021 (Continued)

Insurance; provides for certain additional coverages under Fla. Hurricane Castastrophe Fund; renames Residential Property & Casualty Joint Underwriting Association as Citizens Property Insurance Corporation to provide residential & commercial property insurance; provides for emergency assessments for policyholders of participating insurers; authorizes corporation to enter into quota share primary insurance agreements, etc. Amends Ch. 627, 215.555. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/20/02 HOUSE Temporarily postponed, on Third Reading -HJ 02177

03/21/02 HOUSE Temporarily postponed, on Third Reading -HJ 02255

03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1418 (Ch. 2002-240), CS/HB 385 (Ch. 2002-282), CS/SB 1126 (Ch. 2002-221)

S 1418 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Banking and Insurance; Garcia; (CO-SPONSORS) Campbell; Pruitt; Villalobos (Similar CS/H 1361, 1ST ENG/H 2021, Compare H 0109, CS/2ND ENG/H 0385, CS/H 0551, CS/1ST ENG/S 1126, S 1784, CS/2ND ENG/S 1822, S 2328)

Insurance; provides for certain additional coverages under Fla. Hurricane Catastrophe Fund; renames Residential Property & Casualty Joint Underwriting Association as Citizens Property Insurance Corporation to provide residential & commercial property insurance; provides for emergency assessments for policyholders of participating insurers; authorizes corporation to enter into quota share primary insurance agreements, etc. Amends Ch. 627, 215.555. Effective Date: 05/10/2002.

03/21/02 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01497

05/08/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/10/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-240; See also CS/HB 385 (Ch. 2002-282), CS/SB 1126 (Ch. 2002-221)

H 0599 **GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Fasano; (CO-SPONSORS) Harrell; Melvin; McGriff (Similar CS/S 0966)

Anesthesiologist Assistants; requires Medicine & Osteopathic Boards to require medical malpractice insurance or proof of financial responsibility as condition of licensure or licensure renewal for licensed anesthesiologist assistants; revises grounds for which physician may be disciplined for failing to provide adequate supervision; provides performance standards for anesthesiologist assistants & supervising anesthesiologists, etc. Amends Chs. 458, 459, 456.048. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

02/20/02 SENATE In Messages

02/26/02 SENATE Received, referred to Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Finance and Taxation; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00326

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

Representative Melvin (Continued)

H 0599 *(Continued)

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care

S 0966 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Wasserman Schultz; (CO-SPONSORS) Peadar (Similar 1ST ENG/H 0599) Anesthesiologist Assistants; requires Medicine & Osteopathic Boards to require medical malpractice insurance or proof of financial responsibility as condition of licensure or licensure renewal for licensed anesthesiologist assistants; revises grounds for which physician may be disciplined for failing to provide adequate supervision; provides performance standards for anesthesiologist assistants & supervising anesthesiologists, etc. Amends Chs. 458, 459, 456.048. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/18/02 SENATE Withdrawn from Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00849; Placed on Calendar, on second reading

03/22/02 SENATE Died on Calendar

H 0651 *GENERAL BILL by Benson; (CO-SPONSORS) Melvin; Negron; Brown; Ross; Berfield; Kilmer (Identical S 0264)

Drug-free Workplaces; clarifies that drug testing must be conducted in conformity with that section in order for employer to qualify as having drug-free workplace program; requires certain contractors to implement drug-free workplace program under certain circumstances. Amends 440.102. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

03/15/02 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Substituted SB 264; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 264 (Ch. 2002-14) -HJ 01898

S 0264 GENERAL BILL by King; (CO-SPONSORS) Crist (Identical H 0651)

Drug-free Workplaces; clarifies that drug testing must be conducted in conformity with that section in order for employer to qualify as having drug-free workplace program; requires certain contractors to implement drug-free workplace program under certain circumstances. Amends 440.102. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

03/22/02 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02115

04/05/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

04/11/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-14

H 0679 *GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Council for Competitive Commerce; Insurance (CCC); Brown; (CO-SPONSORS) Melvin (Similar CS/1ST ENG/H 0393, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0385, CS/S 0704, CS/S 1362, CS/2ND ENG/S 1822) Insurance; increases minimum financial responsibility requirements for certain vehicles; increases maximum self-insurance amounts for certain vehicle owners; clarifies exception; provides additional exception to requirement that minimum of 2 months' premium be collected to issue policy or binder for motor vehicle insurance.

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

Representative Melvin (Continued)

H 0679 *(Continued)

Amends 324.031,.032, 627.7295. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
03/13/02 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Substituted CS/SB
1362 (Died in Senate Returning Messages); Laid on
Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB
385 (Ch. 2002-282) -HJ 01167

H 0393

GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Insurance (CCC); Simmons; (CO-SPONSORS)
Hogan (Similar CS/CS/H 0679, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0385, CS/S 0704,
CS/S 1362, CS/2ND ENG/S 1822)

Motor Vehicle Insurance; increases certain limits of financial
responsibility; specifies effect; clarifies exception; provides
additional exception to requirement that minimum of 2 months'
premium be collected to issue policy or binder for motor vehicle
insurance; revises provisions for charges for treatment of injured
persons. Amends 324.031,.032, 627.7295,.736. Effective Date: Upon
becoming law.

03/20/02 SENATE In Messages

03/22/02 SENATE Received, referred to Banking and Insurance
-SJ 02110; Died in Committee on Banking and
Insurance, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to
CS/HB 385 (Ch. 2002-282)

H 0385

GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Competitive Commerce; Lee;
(CO-SPONSORS) Siplin; Smith (Similar CS/2ND ENG/S 1822, Compare
H 0109, CS/CS/CS/2ND ENG/H 0193, CS/1ST ENG/H 0393, CS/CS/H 0679,
CS/H 1133, H 1257, CS/H 1361, CS/1ST ENG/H 1373, H 1625, 1ST
ENG/H 2021, CS/CS/S 0320, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0432, CS/S 0704, CS/2ND
ENG/S 1276, CS/CS/S 1286, CS/2ND ENG/S 1418, S 1784, S 1904, CS/1ST
ENG/S 2192, CS/S 2232)

Insurance/Minority-Owned; extends term of exemption from taxes &
assessments on minority-owned property & casualty insurers;
redefines term "covered policy"; revises required amounts of
insurance required for certain for-hire passenger transportation
vehicles; exempts group health insurance policies insuring groups
of certain size from rate-filing requirements; authorizes dept. to
adopt by rule certain provisions of Long-Term Care Insurance Model
Regulation, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as
otherwise provided.

03/22/02 HOUSE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -HJ 03150

05/13/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/29/02 Became Law without Governor's Signature;
Chapter No. 2002-282; See also CS/CS/SB 432 (Ch.
2002-25), CS/SB 1276 (Ch. 2002-223), CS/SB 1418
(Ch. 2002-240), CS/SB 2192 (Ch. 2002-247)

S 0704

GENERAL BILL/CS by Banking and Insurance; Campbell (Compare CS/2ND
ENG/H 0385, CS/1ST ENG/H 0393, CS/CS/H 0679, CS/2ND ENG/S 1822)

Motor Veh. Financial Responsibility; increases financial
responsibility limits re bodily injury or death in single accident;
requires proof of financial responsibility for bodily injury or

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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Representative Melvin (Continued)

- S 0704 (Continued)
 death; requires HSMV to develop affidavit forms & to adopt rules; increases limits for proof of financial responsibility for for-hire transportation vehicle certificates of self-insurance; increases amount required for surety bond or deposit for proof of financial responsibility, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
 02/11/02 SENATE CS read first time on 02/13/02 -SJ 00240
 02/12/02 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on second reading -SJ 00239
 03/22/02 SENATE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 385 (Ch. 2002-282)
- S 1362 GENERAL BILL/CS by Banking and Insurance; Latvala (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0393, CS/CS/H 0679, CS/CS/H 1247, CS/S 2214)
Insurance; clarifies exception; provides additional exception to requirement that minimum of 2 months' premium be collected to issue policy or binder for motor vehicle insurance; authorizes insurance agents & insurers that finance premiums for certain policies to charge interest or service charge at specified rate on unpaid premiums on those policies. Amends 627.7295,.901. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.
 03/20/02 HOUSE CS passed as amended; YEAS 118 NAYS 0 -HJ 02245
 03/20/02 SENATE In returning messages
 03/22/02 SENATE Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/HB 1247 (Ch. 2002-252)
- S 1822 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Banking and Insurance; Holzendorf (Similar CS/2ND ENG/H 0385, Compare H 0109, CS/CS/CS/2ND ENG/H 0193, CS/1ST ENG/H 0393, CS/CS/H 0679, CS/H 1133, CS/H 1361, CS/1ST ENG/H 1373, H 1625, 1ST ENG/H 2021, CS/CS/S 0320, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0432, CS/S 0704, CS/2ND ENG/S 1418, S 1784, S 1904, CS/1ST ENG/S 2192, CS/S 2232)
Insurance; revises provisions governing financing arrangements & dissolutions; redefines term "covered policy"; specifies manner of proving financial responsibility; redefines term "covered claim"; provides circumstances under which surplus lines insurer may cancel policy; authorizes investment of funds of HMO in excess of certain reserves & surplus under certain circumstances, etc. Amends Chs. 624, 625, 626, 627, 631, 641, 215.555, 324.031,.032. Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.
 03/22/02 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 02102
 05/14/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
 05/29/02 Vetoed by Governor, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 385 (Ch. 2002-282), CS/CS/SB 432 (Ch. 2002-25), CS/SB 1418 (Ch. 2002-240), CS/SB 2192 (Ch. 2002-247)
- H 0691 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Competitive Commerce; Kottkamp; (CO-SPONSORS) Harrell; Murman; Melvin; Negron; Pickens; Paul; Betancourt; Green; Needelman; Cantens; Heyman; Gannon; Crow; Davis;

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Representative Melvin (Continued)

H 0691 ** (Continued)

Gottlieb; Rich; Sobel; Bucher; Mayfield; Gelber; Joyner; Bullard; Fields (Identical CS/1ST ENG/S 1002)

Cruelty to Animals; provides that any person convicted of specified acts which constitute cruelty to animal, where finder of fact determines that violation includes knowing & intentional torture or torment of animal, shall be ordered to undergo psychological counseling or anger management treatment; provides minimum mandatory fine, etc. Amends 828.12; reenacts various FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/20/02 HOUSE Temporarily postponed, on Third Reading -HJ 02177

03/21/02 HOUSE Substituted CS/SB 1002; Laid on Table,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1002
(Ch. 2002-51) -HJ 02255

S 1002 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Criminal Justice; King; (CO-SPONSORS) Posey (Identical CS/H 0691)

Cruelty to Animals; provides that any person convicted of specified acts which constitute cruelty to animal, where finder of fact determines that violation includes knowing & intentional torture or torment of animal, shall be ordered to undergo psychological counseling or anger management treatment; provides minimum mandatory fine, etc. Amends 828.12; reenacts various FS. Effective Date: 04/18/2002.

03/22/02 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 01542

04/05/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

04/18/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-51

H 0747 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Colleges & Universities (LLC); Atwater; (CO-SPONSORS) Waters; McGriff; Rich; Smith; Jennings; Wilson; Flanagan; Melvin; Pickens; Fiorentino; Seiler; Lynn; Negrón; Clarke; Gibson; Sobel; Romeo; Harrell; Paul; Lerner; Brutus; Gelber; Joyner; Fields; Bullard; Richardson (Identical 1ST ENG/S 1914)

Student Financial Assistance; amends provisions re Florida Public Student Assistance Grant Program; authorizes grants to part-time degree-seeking students; revises provisions re maximum amount of grants. Amends 240.409. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/15/02 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Substituted SB 1914; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 1914 (Ch. 2002-34) -HJ 01813

S 1914 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Klein; (CO-SPONSORS) Sullivan; Wise; Lawson; Miller; Holzendorf; Geller; Rossin; Wasserman Schultz; Dawson; Sanderson (Identical CS/H 0747)

Student Financial Assistance; amends provisions re Florida Public Student Assistance Grant Program; authorizes grants to part-time degree-seeking students; revises provisions re maximum amount of grants. Amends 240.409. Effective Date: 04/16/2002.

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Representative Melvin (Continued)

S 1914 (Continued)

03/19/02 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01035

04/05/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

04/16/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-34

H 0765 **JOINT RESOLUTION/2ND ENG by Byrd; (CO-SPONSORS) Goodlette; Kottkamp; Green; Waters; Machek; Ryan; Sorensen; Fasano; Littlefield; Bean; Arza; Bilirakis; Diaz de la Portilla; Haridopolos; Meador; Baxley; Evers; Mayfield; Allen; Flanagan; Bense; Mack; Kyle; Hart; Harrell; Alexander; Diaz-Balart; Berfield; Kallinger; Kravitz; Garcia; Simmons; Wallace; Murman; Farkas; Rubio; Harrington; Ross; Carassas; Benson; Stansel; Kendrick; Jordan; Meadows; Bennett; Baker; Kilmer; Melvin; Trovillion; Barreiro; Crow; Hogan; Mahon; Negron; Johnson; Russell; Detert; Needelman; Pickens; Cantens; Brummer; Bowen; Atwater; Clarke; Gibson; Davis; Brown; Attkisson; Bullard (Similar S 1252)
Legislature/Passage of Bills; constitutional amendment that requires rules of each house of Legislature include a rule, not subject to waiver, providing that all bills, joint resolutions, concurrent resolutions, resolutions, memorials, & conference reports be furnished in their final form to each member of house hearing measure at least forty-eight hours prior to final adoption by that house of Legislature, etc. Amends s. 4, Art. III.

03/11/02 SENATE In Messages

03/15/02 SENATE Received, referred to Rules and Calendar -SJ 00810

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Rules and Calendar

S 1252 JOINT RESOLUTION by Peadar (Similar 2ND ENG/H 0765)

Legislature/Passage of Bills; constitutional amendment to require that all bills, joint resolutions, concurrent resolutions, resolutions, memorials, & conference reports be furnished in their final form to each member of the house hearing measure at least 48 hours prior to final passage by that house of Legislature, except for all general appropriation bills & their conference reports, etc. Amends s. 7, Art. III.

01/14/02 SENATE Prefiled

01/24/02 SENATE Introduced, referred to Rules and Calendar
-SJ 00142

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Rules and Calendar

H 0781 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Healthy Communities; Green; (CO-SPONSORS) Waters; Goodlette; Melvin; Sobel; Joyner (Identical CS/1ST ENG/S 1246)
Continuing Care Retirement Community; authorizes DOI to accept certain documents & info re continuing care contracts electronically or by facsimile; revises minimum liquid reserve requirements for continuing care providers; provides funding

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BILLS

Representative Melvin (Continued)

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limitation on sheltered beds used to provide extended congregate care in continuing care facility; exempts continuing care facility residents from certain calculations re moratoriums, etc. Amends 651.015,.033,.035,.118. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/07/02 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Substituted CS/SB 1246; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1246 (Ch. 2002-222) -HJ 00929

S 1246 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Banking and Insurance; Saunders; (CO-SPONSORS) Crist (Identical CS/H 0781)
Continuing Care Retirement Community; authorizes DOI to accept certain documents & info re continuing care contracts electronically or by facsimile; revises minimum liquid reserve requirements for continuing care providers; provides funding limitation on sheltered beds used to provide extended congregate care in continuing care facility; exempts continuing care facility residents from certain calculations re moratoriums, etc. Amends 651.015,.033,.035,.118. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.
03/21/02 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 01355
04/18/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
05/01/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-222

H 0859 *GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Bense; Attkisson; (CO-SPONSORS) Melvin; Harrington (Similar CS/S 1902)

Local Govt./Employers/Minimum Wage; prohibits local governments from requiring employers to pay minimum wage in excess of federal minimum wage; provides exceptions. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/11/02 SENATE In Messages

03/15/02 SENATE Received, referred to Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs; Commerce and Economic Opportunities -SJ 00809

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs

S 1902 GENERAL BILL/CS by Commerce and Economic Opportunities; Peaden (Similar 1ST ENG/H 0859)

Local Government/Minimum Wage; prohibits local governments from requiring employers to pay minimum wage other than federal minimum wage; provides exceptions. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/21/02 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 01212

03/22/02 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 01482; Died on Calendar

H 0905 *MEMORIAL by Jordan; (CO-SPONSORS) Hogan; Stansel; Kravitz; Flanagan; Harrell; Cantens; Baxley; Mahon; Wiles; Davis; Bean; Fields; Garcia; Slosberg; Kilmer; Kallinger; Crow; Needelman;

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

Representative Melvin (Continued)

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Pickens; Bennett; Greenstein; Kendrick; Harrington; Trovillion; Machek; Alexander; Allen; Andrews; Argenziano; Arza; Attkisson; Atwater; Ausley; Baker; Ball; Barreiro; Bendross-Mindingall; Bense; Benson; Berfield; Betancourt; Bilirakis; Bowen; Brown; Brummer; Brutus; Bucher; Bullard; Byrd; Carassas; Clarke; Cusack; Detert; Diaz de la Portilla; Diaz-Balart; Dockery; Evers; Farkas; Fasano; Feeney; Fiorentino; Frankel; Gardiner; Gelber; Gibson; Goodlette; Gottlieb; Green; Haridopolos; Harper; Hart; Heyman; Holloway; Jennings; Johnson; Joyner; Justice; Kosmas; Kottkamp; Kyle; Lacasa; Lee; Lerner; Littlefield; Lynn; Mack; Mayfield; Maygarden; McGriff; Meadows; Meador; Melvin; Murman; Negron; Paul; Peterman; Prieguez; Rich; Richardson; Ritter; Romeo; Ross; Rubio; Russell; Ryan; Seiler; Simmons; Siplin; Smith; Sobel; Sorensen; Spratt; Wallace; Waters; Weissman; Wilson; Wishner; Gannon (Similar H 9013, S 2188) Duval County/National Cemetery; urges President & Congress of United States to direct Secretary of Veterans Affairs to establish national cemetery in Duval County, Florida, to serve needs of veterans & their families in northeast Florida & southeast Georgia.
02/21/02 SENATE In Messages
02/27/02 SENATE Received, referred to Rules and Calendar -SJ 00359
03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Rules and Calendar,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HR 9013
(Adopted)

H 9013 RESOLUTION by Jordan; (CO-SPONSORS) Harrell (Similar H 0905, S 2188) Duval County/National Cemetery; urges President & Congress of United States to direct Secretary of Veterans Affairs to establish national cemetery in Duval County, Florida, to serve needs of veterans & their families in northeast Florida & southeast Georgia.
02/20/02 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Read second time
-HJ 00253; Adopted -HJ 00254

S 2188 RESOLUTION by King (Similar H 0905, H 9013) Duval County/National Cemetery; urges President & Congress of United States to direct Secretary of Veterans Affairs to establish national cemetery in Duval County, Florida, to serve needs of veterans & their families in northeast Florida & southeast Georgia.
01/22/02 SENATE Filed
03/22/02 SENATE Died, not introduced, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HR 9013 (Adopted)

H 0907 **GENERAL BILL by Kendrick; (CO-SPONSORS) Bean; Kilmer; Baxley; Stansel; Melvin; Kravitz; McGriff; Arza (Compare CS/S 1486) Assault & Battery; provides enhanced penalties for offenses of assault, battery, aggravated assault, & aggravated battery if offense is committed on person officiating interscholastic activity. Amends 784.081. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
BILLS

Representative Melvin (Continued)

H 0907 *(Continued)

02/12/02 HOUSE Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by Crime Prevention,
Corrections & Safety (HCC); YEAS 9 NAYS 0
-HJ 00247

02/13/02 HOUSE Now in Council for Healthy Communities -HJ 00247

S 1486 03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Council on Council for Healthy Communities
GENERAL BILL/CS by Criminal Justice; Wise; (CO-SPONSORS) Smith;
Sebesta; Pruitt; Sullivan; Mitchell (Compare H 0907)
Assault & Battery; provides enhanced penalties for offenses of
assault, battery, aggravated assault, & aggravated battery if
offense is committed on Governor, Lieutenant Governor, elected
Cabinet officer, member of Legislature, mayor or chief head of
municipality, member of city council or city commission, member of
county commission, public defender, elected constitutional officer,
or interscholastic sports official. Amends 784.081. Effective
Date: 07/01/2002.

02/18/02 SENATE CS read first time on 02/20/02 -SJ 00294

02/19/02 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety
and Judiciary -SJ 00291

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on
Public Safety and Judiciary

H 0915 *GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Lifelong Learning; Hogan;
(CO-SPONSORS) Melvin; Harrington; Bennett; Bense (Similar S 0926)
Public Schools/In God We Trust Motto; directs superintendent of
schools to provide for display of motto "IN GOD WE TRUST" in
prominent location in public schools. Amends 233.062. Effective
Date: Upon becoming law.

03/18/02 SENATE In Messages

03/20/02 SENATE Received, referred to Education -SJ 01217

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Education

S 0926 GENERAL BILL by Wise; (CO-SPONSORS) Sebesta (Similar CS/2ND
ENG/H 0915)

Public Schools/In God We Trust Motto; directs superintendent of
schools to provide for display of motto "IN GOD WE TRUST" in
classrooms & other areas of public schools. Amends 233.062.
Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

01/14/02 SENATE Referred to Education

01/22/02 SENATE Introduced, referred to Education -SJ 00060

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Education

H 0941 *GENERAL BILL by Detert; (CO-SPONSORS) Baxley; Wiles; McGriff;
Melvin; Fiorentino (Similar S 2024)
School District Reemployment; provides for school district
reemployment of certain personnel upon retirement; provides for
payment of accrued & future retirement benefits. Amends 121.091.

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
BILLS

Representative Melvin (Continued)

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Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

01/29/02 HOUSE Referred to State Administration (SGC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Fiscal Responsibility Council -HJ 00134

02/08/02 HOUSE On Committee agenda-- State Administration (SGC), 02/12/02, 10:15 am, 306-H --Not considered

S 2024 03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on State Administration (SGC) GENERAL BILL by Sullivan; (CO-SPONSORS) Lawson; Clary; Mitchell (Similar H 0941)

School District Reemployment; authorizes district school board to reemploy teacher, principal, or assistant principal after participation in Deferred Retirement Option Program, subject to certain conditions. Amends 121.091. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

01/22/02 SENATE Filed

02/06/02 SENATE Introduced, referred to Education; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations -SJ 00220

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Education

H 1129 *GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by State Administration (SGC); Betancourt; (CO-SPONSORS) Melvin (Compare S 1396)

Public Employees Relations Comm.; requires commission to report certain information each year to President of Senate & Speaker of House of Representatives; revises required information in applications for registration; specifies uniform date for registrations; provides for denial of registration under certain circumstances; authorizes commission to impose fines under certain circumstances; authorizes commission to waive such fines under certain circumstances, etc. Amends 447.207,.305. Effective Date: 08/01/2002.

03/19/02 SENATE In Messages

03/21/02 SENATE Received, referred to Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations -SJ 01491

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity

S 1396 GENERAL BILL by Lawson (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 1129)

Public Employees Relations Comm.; requires commission to report certain information each year to Legislature; specifies conditions for denial or revocation of registration by employee organizations; specifies uniform date for registrations; requires additional information in applications for registration; provides for denial of registration under certain circumstances; authorizes commission to impose fines under certain circumstances, etc. Amends

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Representative Melvin (Continued)

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447.207,.305. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

01/21/02 SENATE Prefiled

01/30/02 SENATE Introduced, referred to Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations -SJ 00154

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity

H 1137 **GENERAL BILL by Rich; Farkas; Weissman; (CO-SPONSORS) Ausley; Detert; Richardson; Heyman; Melvin; Joyner; Justice; Mahon; Benson; Dockery; Maygarden; Gottlieb; Bean; Wilson; Garcia; Arza; Greenstein; Slosberg; Gelber; Seiler; Meadows; Ritter; Wiles; Allen; Hogan; Argenziano; Green; Spratt; Siplin (Compare H 0031, S 0142, S 1044)

Florida Healthy Kids/Funding; eliminates local matching fund requirements under Florida Healthy Kids program; provides intent that voluntary local contributions to program may be used for children not otherwise eligible for certain medical assistance. Amends 624.91. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

02/19/02 HOUSE Favorable by Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); YEAS 7 NAYS 4 -HJ 00289

02/21/02 HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC) -HJ 00289

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC)

H 0031 GENERAL BILL by Maygarden; Farkas; Rich; Dockery; (CO-SPONSORS) Bean; Goodlette; Greenstein; Sobel; Mahon; Detert; Ausley; Richardson; Hogan; Spratt; Pickens (Compare H 1137, S 0142, S 1044)

Fla. Healthy Kids Program/Funds; revises provisions re matching funds under said program to eliminate local government contribution requirements & provide for voluntary local contributions. Amends 624.91. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

01/22/02 HOUSE Introduced, referred to Health Regulation (HCC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC); Council for Smarter Government -HJ 00013; On Committee agenda-- Health Regulation (HCC), 10/11/01, 10:15 am, Morris Hall --Temporarily deferred

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Regulation (HCC)

S 0142 GENERAL BILL by Saunders; (CO-SPONSORS) Latvala; King (Similar S 1044, Compare H 0031, H 1137)

Fla. Healthy Kids Corporation; eliminates local-match requirement under Healthy Kids Corporation under specified conditions; allows voluntary contributions. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

01/22/02 SENATE Favorable by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care;

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

Representative Melvin (Continued)

- S 0142 (Continued)
01/22/02 SENATE YEAS 8 NAYS 0 -SJ 00072; Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services -SJ 00072
03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services
- S 1044 GENERAL BILL by Posey (Similar S 0142, Compare H 0031, H 1137)
Fla. Healthy Kids Corporation; eliminates local-match requirement under Florida Healthy Kids Program; provides voluntary contributions. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
01/09/02 SENATE Prefiled
01/24/02 SENATE Introduced, referred to Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00131
03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care
- H 1149 **GENERAL BILL by Kilmer; (CO-SPONSORS) Bowen; Arza; Melvin; Fiorentino; Clarke; Gibson; Bullard; Davis; Kottkamp; Pickens; Needelman; Ritter; Rubio; Argenziano; Allen; Benson; Bean; Stansel; Barreiro; Bilirakis; Brown; Evers; Ross; Spratt; Harrington; Alexander; Baker; Lacasa; Murman; Lynn; Johnson; Mayfield; Bennett; Harrell; Prieguez; Waters; Baxley; Hogan; Simmons; Kravitz; Ball; Maygarden; Diaz de la Portilla; Andrews; Paul; Garcia; Jordan; Goodlette; Wallace (Identical S 2342)
Intergovernmental Relations Comm.; requires Legislative Committee on Intergovernmental Relations to conduct study re sharing cost of government services & feasibility of certain programs; requires report to Legislature. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
03/20/02 SENATE In Messages
03/22/02 SENATE Received, referred to Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Rules and Calendar; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations -SJ 02110; Died in Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity
- S 2342 GENERAL BILL by Lawson (Identical H 1149)
Intergovernmental Relations Comm.; requires Legislative Committee on Intergovernmental Relations to conduct study re sharing cost of government services & feasibility of certain programs; requires report to Legislature. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
01/22/02 SENATE Filed
02/26/02 SENATE Introduced, referred to Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Rules and Calendar; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations -SJ 00316
03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity

Representative Melvin (Continued)

H 1163 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Smarter Government; Fiorentino; Harrell; (CO-SPONSORS) Fasano; Gannon; Murman; Arza; Crow; Paul; Pickens; Ritter; Brummer; Melvin; Kyle; Sorensen; Wishner; Gottlieb; Kravitz; Lynn; Bucher; Mayfield; Sobel; Wilson; Richardson; Brutus; Gelber; Rich; Joyner; Fields (Identical CS/CS/S 1656)
Rape Crisis Centers; provides definition; provides for confidential communication between sexual crime victim & trained volunteer at rape crisis center; expands privilege of refusal to disclose certain information to include communications between victim & trained volunteer, etc. Amends 90.5035, 794.024. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/12/02 HOUSE Read second time -HJ 00984

03/18/02 HOUSE Substituted CS/CS/SB 1656; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 1656 (Ch. 2002-246) -HJ 01986

S 1656 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Children and Families; Judiciary; Burt; (CO-SPONSORS) Saunders; Crist (Identical CS/H 1163)
Rape Crisis Centers; provides definition; provides for confidential communication between sexual crime victim & trained volunteer at rape crisis center; expands privilege of refusal to disclose certain information to include communications between victim & trained volunteer, etc. Amends 90.5035, 794.024. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/18/02 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 00850

04/30/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/13/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-246

H 1205 **GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Council for Smarter Government; Haridopolos; (CO-SPONSORS) Davis; Gibson; Jennings; McGriff; Wishner; Ritter; Bennett; Baxley; Brown; Kallinger; Meador; Meadows; Diaz de la Portilla; Rubio; Melvin; Benson; Kilmer; Clarke; Ross; Russell; Negron; Hart; Kyle; Kottkamp; Mack; Paul; Garcia; Baker; Bean; Ball; Crow (Similar CS/S 1440)
Govt. Agencies/Unsolicited Reports; prohibits government agencies from mailing general unsolicited reports to any person in state; provides exceptions. Creates 283.551. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/20/02 SENATE In Messages

03/22/02 SENATE Received, referred to Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Commerce and Economic Opportunities; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations -SJ 02112; Died in Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity

S 1440 GENERAL BILL/CS by Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Posey (Similar CS/1ST ENG/H 1205)
Govt. Agencies/Unsolicited Reports; prohibits government agencies

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- S 1440 (Continued)
from mailing general unsolicited reports to any person in state;
provides exceptions. Creates 283.551. Effective Date: Upon
becoming law.
03/20/02 SENATE Withdrawn from Rules and Calendar -SJ 01212; Placed
on Calendar, on second reading
03/22/02 SENATE Died on Calendar
- H 1223 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Healthy Communities; Bean; Kilmer;
Murman; (CO-SPONSORS) Ball; Davis; Hogan; Arza; Haridopolos;
Stansel; Cantens; Baker; Maygarden; Melvin; Ross; Brown;
Harrington; Fasano; Littlefield; Brummer; Bilirakis; Holloway;
Flanagan; Allen (Identical CS/S 1690)
Women's Health & Safety Act; creates said act; revises requirements
for reporting by medical directors & physicians of terminations of
pregnancies; provides penalty; provides for disciplinary action for
successive failures to report; revises requirements for rules of
AHCA re abortions performed in abortion clinics; provides for rules
re abortions performed after first trimester of pregnancy, etc.
Amends 390.0112,.012. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.
03/18/02 SENATE In Messages
03/20/02 SENATE Received, referred to Health, Aging and Long-Term
Care; Judiciary; Governmental Oversight and
Productivity; Rules and Calendar -SJ 01213
03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term
Care
- S 1690 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Cowin
(Identical CS/H 1223)
Women's Health & Safety Act; creates said act; revises requirements
for reporting by medical directors & physicians of terminations of
pregnancies; provides penalty; provides for disciplinary action for
successive failures to report; revises requirements for rules of
AHCA re abortions performed in abortion clinics; provides for rules
re abortions performed after first trimester of pregnancy, etc.
Amends 390.0112,.012. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.
03/19/02 SENATE Withdrawn from Judiciary; Governmental Oversight
and Productivity -SJ 01025; Now in Rules and
Calendar
03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Rules and Calendar
- H 1227 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Colleges & Universities (LLC); Arza; Baxley;
(CO-SPONSORS) Allen; Melvin; Rubio; Maygarden; Crow; Pickens;
Atwater; Benson; Ross; Attkisson; Gannon; Brown; Flanagan;
Gardiner; Evers; Stansel; Wiles; Bennett; Garcia; Haridopolos;
Wilson; Kallinger; Brutus; Waters; Bilirakis; Richardson; Bullard;
Smith; Sobel; Meador; Trovillion; McGriff; Betancourt; Spratt;

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Representative Melvin (Continued)

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Fiorentino (Identical CS/S 1542)

Community College Funding; revises method of determining annual apportionment to each community college from state funds. Amends 240.359. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

02/25/02 HOUSE Pending review of CS under Rule 6 -HJ 00293; Now in Education Appropriations (FRC) -HJ 00293

S 1542 03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Education Appropriations (FRC) GENERAL BILL/CS by Education; Villalobos; (CO-SPONSORS) Peaden; Wise; Sebesta; Miller; Jones (Identical CS/H 1227)

Community College Funding; revises method of determining annual apportionment to each community college from state funds. Amends 240.359. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/04/02 SENATE CS read first time on 03/06/02 -SJ 00439

03/06/02 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Education -SJ 00434

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Education

H 1229 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Education Innovation (LLC); Arza; Weissman; (CO-SPONSORS) Betancourt; Waters; Meadows; Melvin; Cantens; Sobel; Baxley; Haridopolos; Holloway (Compare S 1864)

Charter Technical Career Centers; revises contents & dates for submission & approval of application to establish center; authorizes pilot apprenticeship charter technical career centers; provides for applicability of provisions re charter technical career centers; provides certain exceptions re application, approval, denial, & funding. Amends 228.505. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

02/21/02 HOUSE Pending review of CS under Rule 6 -HJ 00289

02/25/02 HOUSE Now in Education Appropriations (FRC) -HJ 00289

S 1864 03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Education Appropriations (FRC) GENERAL BILL by Peaden (Compare CS/H 1229)

Charter Technical Career Centers; revises provisions re approval of charter; deletes requirement of application to establish center; revises dates for submission & approval of application; deletes provisions re issuance of charter; revises provisions re basis of denial of application; revises provisions re funding of center by center sponsor. Amends 228.505. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

02/06/02 SENATE Introduced, referred to Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; Appropriations -SJ 00210

02/20/02 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Education, 02/25/02, 1:00 pm, 412-K --Not considered

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Education

H 1247 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Council for Competitive Commerce; Insurance

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Representative Melvin (Continued)

- H 1247 *(Continued)
(CCC); Ross; (CO-SPONSORS) Melvin (Identical CS/S 2214, Compare CS/S 1362)
Premium Financing; provides for calculation of certain interest charges; authorizes billing interest in installments; authorizes insurers, subsidiaries, corporations, or groups of insurers to impose certain additional service charges & fees. Amends 627.901,.902. Effective Date: 05/13/2002.
03/21/02 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 02761
05/01/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
05/13/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-252
- S 2214 GENERAL BILL/CS by Banking and Insurance; Holzendorf (Identical CS/CS/H 1247, Compare CS/S 1362)
Premium Financing; provides for calculation of certain interest charges; authorizes billing interest in installments; authorizes insurers, subsidiaries, corporations, or groups of insurers to impose certain additional service charges & fees. Amends 627.901,.902. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
03/21/02 SENATE Placed on Consent Calendar; Substituted CS/CS/HB 1247 -SJ 01380; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/HB 1247 (Ch. 2002-252)
- S 1362 GENERAL BILL/CS by Banking and Insurance; Latvala (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0393, CS/CS/H 0679, CS/CS/H 1247, CS/S 2214)
Insurance; clarifies exception; provides additional exception to requirement that minimum of 2 months' premium be collected to issue policy or binder for motor vehicle insurance; authorizes insurance agents & insurers that finance premiums for certain policies to charge interest or service charge at specified rate on unpaid premiums on those policies. Amends 627.7295,.901. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.
03/20/02 HOUSE CS passed as amended; YEAS 118 NAYS 0 -HJ 02245
03/20/02 SENATE In returning messages
03/22/02 SENATE Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/HB 1247 (Ch. 2002-252)
- H 1269 **GENERAL BILL by Heyman; (CO-SPONSORS) Frankel; Melvin; Diaz-Balart; Bullard; Lerner; Bucher; Sobel; Wilson; Brutus; Gelber; Rich; Fields (Identical S 2054)
Elaine Gordon Children's Med. Bldg.; designates building under construction in Tallahassee as "Elaine Gordon Children's Medical Services Building"; directs Health Dept. to erect suitable markers. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
03/15/02 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar
03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 2054 (Ch. 2002-305)

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- S 2054 GENERAL BILL by Silver (Identical H 1269)
Elaine Gordon Children's Med. Bldg.; designates building under construction in Tallahassee as "Elaine Gordon Children's Medical Services Building"; directs Health Dept. to erect suitable markers. Effective Date: 05/13/2002.
03/20/02 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01222
04/30/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
05/13/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-305
- H 1277 **GENERAL BILL by Justice; Cusack; (CO-SPONSORS) Wiles; Gannon; Melvin; Joyner; Peterman (Compare S 1536)
Supervisors of Elections; provides for nonpartisan election of supervisors of elections; provides restrictions on political activity of said supervisors; requires candidates for supervisor to pay qualifying fee, subscribe to oath, & file certain items to qualify; provides for form of ballot for candidates for supervisor; provides that said supervisors shall be elected by vote of qualified electors of county, etc. Amends Chs. 98, 105, 101.151. Effective Date: 01/01/2003.
02/19/02 HOUSE Favorable by Rules, Ethics & Elections (PRC); YEAS 9 NAYS 1 -HJ 00275
02/20/02 HOUSE Now in Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC) -HJ 00275
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC)
- S 1536 GENERAL BILL by Sebesta (Compare H 1277)
Supervisors of Elections; provides for nonpartisan election of supervisors of elections; requires candidates for supervisor of elections to pay qualifying fee, subscribe to oath, & file certain items to qualify; provides procedures for candidates for supervisor of elections to qualify by alternative method; provides for form of ballot for candidates for supervisor of elections; provides for write-in candidates for supervisor of elections, etc. Amends Chs. 98, 101, 105. Effective Date: 01/01/2003.
03/13/02 HOUSE In Messages
03/20/02 HOUSE Received, referred to Rules, Ethics & Elections (PRC); Procedural & Redistricting Council -HJ 02251
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Rules, Ethics & Elections (PRC)
- H 1305 **GENERAL BILL by Atwater; Fiorentino; (CO-SPONSORS) Mahon; Heyman; Bucher; Needelman; Gibson; Harrell; Kallinger; Bilirakis; Bean; Jordan; Murman; Flanagan; Kravitz; Gannon; Stansel; Baxley; Paul; Melvin; Argenziano; Bennett; Davis; Cantens; Clarke; Mayfield; Crow; Peterman; Arza; Berfield; Harrington; Siplin; Hogan; Holloway; Harper (Compare CS/3RD ENG/H 0261, CS/2ND ENG/H 0757, CS/S 2162)
Florida Firefighters License Plate; creates said license plate;

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provides for distribution of annual use fees received from sale of such plates. Amends 320.08056,.08058. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

01/30/02 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00130

02/05/02 HOUSE Referred to Transportation (RIC); Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations (FRC); Council for Ready Infrastructure -HJ 00187

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Transportation (RIC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 261 (Ch. 2002-20)

H 0261 GENERAL BILL/CS/3RD ENG by Council for Ready Infrastructure; Russell; (CO-SPONSORS) Green; Bullard; Clarke (Similar CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0502, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0035, H 0049, CS/H 0249, CS/H 0323, H 0383, H 0497, CS/H 0661, CS/2ND ENG/H 0757, H 0977, CS/2ND ENG/H 1213, H 1305, H 1387, H 1421, CS/H 1515, CS/1ST ENG/H 1535, CS/3RD ENG/H 1681, S 0200, S 0248, 1ST ENG/S 0266, CS/S 0478, CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 0522, S 0542, CS/S 0676, S 0994, S 1030, CS/S 1214, S 1224, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1360, CS/CS/S 1458, CS/S 1532, CS/2ND ENG/S 1906, CS/CS/S 1992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2072, S 2096, S 2142, CS/S 2162, S 2174, CS/S 2228, CS/CS/S 2286, S 2332, 1ST ENG/S 2454)

Transportation Department; revises language re organization of dept.; changes turnpike district into turnpike enterprise; deletes requirement for dept. permit re height of automobile transporters; creates "Fla. High-Speed Rail Authority Act"; adds airport master plans that have specified components to comprehensive plans; provides for creation of Fla. Firefighters & Police Benevolent Association license plates, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.

03/22/02 HOUSE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -HJ 03155

03/27/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

04/11/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-20; See also CS/HB 1681 (Ch. 2002-295), SB 266 (Ch. 2002-23), CS/CS/SB 522 (Ch. 2002-235), CS/CS/SB 1360 (Ch. 2002-18), CS/SB 1906 (Ch. 2002-296), HB 29-E (Ch. 2002-402)

H 0757 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Ready Infrastructure; Russell; (CO-SPONSORS) Slosberg; Holloway (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0035, H 0049, CS/3RD ENG/H 0261, CS/1ST ENG/H 0435, H 0675, H 0677, CS/1ST ENG/H 0715, H 1181, CS/2ND ENG/H 1213, H 1305, H 1387, H 1421, CS/1ST ENG/H 1535, H 1585, CS/3RD ENG/H 1681, CS/1ST ENG/H 1839, S 0200, S 0248, CS/S 0480, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0502, S 0542, CS/S 0676, CS/S 0728, S 1034, CS/S 1214, S 1224, CS/S 1524, CS/S 1532, CS/S 1582, CS/2ND ENG/S 1906, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2072, S 2076, S 2142, CS/S 2162, CS/S 2228, 1ST ENG/S 2454)

Transportation; revises provisions re organization of DOT; creates Office of Comptroller; abrogates repeal of provisions governing

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Representative Melvin (Continued)

H 0757 (Continued)

business damages in eminent domain actions; adds airport master plans that have specified components to comprehensive plans; revises size requirement provisions for vehicles transporting certain agricultural products; establishes penalties for persons who transport motor or diesel fuel in unlawful containers, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.

03/19/02 SENATE In Messages

03/21/02 SENATE Received, referred to Transportation; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Judiciary; Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations -SJ 01489

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Transportation, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 261 (Ch. 2002-20), CS/HB 715 (Ch. 2002-13), HB 1181 (Ch. 2002-250), CS/HB 1681 (Ch. 2002-295), CS/SB 1906 (Ch. 2002-296)

S 2162 GENERAL BILL/CS by Transportation; Klein; (CO-SPONSORS) Wasserman Schultz; Lee; Peaden; Geller; Garcia; Villalobos; Cowin; King; Campbell; Sullivan; Meek; Burt; Miller; Posey; Dawson; Silver; Futch; Lawson; Rossin; Sebesta; Holzendorf; Pruitt; Smith (Compare CS/3RD ENG/H 0261, CS/2ND ENG/H 0757, H 1305, CS/S 0478, CS/CS/S 0568, CS/CS/CS/S 2120)

Specialty License Plates; provides for creation of Florida Firefighters license plate; provides for creation of Police Benevolent license plate; revises date after which newly created collegiate license plate is subject to requirements of specified provision; provides for distribution of annual use fees received from sale of such plates. Amends 320.08056,.08058. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/18/02 SENATE Withdrawn from Finance and Taxation -SJ 00849; Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 261 (Ch. 2002-20), CS/CS/SB 568 (Ch. 2002-181)

H 1539 **GENERAL BILL by Agriculture & Consumer Affairs (CCC); Spratt; Gibson; Bowen; Baxley; Evers; Ball; Stansel; Dockery; Gannon; (CO-SPONSORS) Harrell; Harrington; Needelman; Haridopolos; Alexander; Harper; Attkisson; Baker; Brummer; Siplin; Kendrick; Trovillion; Allen; Melvin; Machek; Paul; Murman; Farkas; Clarke; Bean; Pickens; Argenziano; Ross; Negron; Mayfield; Bennett; Jennings; Littlefield; Green; Davis; Peterman; Gardiner; Goodlette;

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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Representative Melvin (Continued)

H 1539 ** (Continued)

Hogan; Henriquez; Ausley; Fields (Identical CS/S 1926)
Citrus Canker; revises definition of citrus trees that are exposed to infection from citrus canker bacteria; provides for removal & destruction of infected citrus trees & trees exposed to infection; authorizes chief law enforcement officers to perform certain duties; provides grounds for issuance of search warrants re spread of citrus canker; provides repeal & review of provision re definition of term "exposed to infection", etc. Amends Ch. 581, 933.02,.07. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

03/13/02 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Substituted CS/SB 1926; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1926 (Ch. 2002-11) -HJ 01159

S 1926 GENERAL BILL/CS by Criminal Justice; Posey; (CO-SPONSORS) Cowin; Futch; Sullivan; Wise; Saunders; Miller; Peaden; Carlton; Smith; Lawson; Pruitt; Laurent (Identical H 1539)
Citrus Canker; revises definition of citrus trees that are exposed to infection from citrus canker bacteria; provides for removal & destruction of infected citrus trees & trees exposed to infection; authorizes chief law enforcement officers to perform certain duties; provides grounds for issuance of search warrants re spread of citrus canker; provides repeal & review of provision re definition of term "exposed to infection", etc. Amends Ch. 581, 933.02,.07. Effective Date: 03/18/2002 except as otherwise provided.

03/14/02 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 00603

03/15/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
-SJ 00810

03/18/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-11 -SJ 00850

H 1587 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Lifelong Learning; Kallinger; Arza; (CO-SPONSORS) Melvin; Byrd

No Strings Attached Act; provides for school district flexibility under specified conditions; provides for Freedom Scholarships & scholarship eligibility; provides school district & DOE obligations; provides for private school eligibility; provides obligations of program participants; provides for scholarship funding & payment; provides for liability; provides for oversight by State Board of Education; provides for rulemaking. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

02/19/02 HOUSE Pending review of CS under Rule 6 -HJ 00272; Placed on Calendar -HJ 00272

03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar

H 1661 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Lifelong Learning; Justice;

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(CO-SPONSORS) Melvin; Fiorentino (Compare CS/1ST ENG/S 2172) School Advisory Councils/Bylaws; requires school advisory councils to adopt bylaws; requires that bylaws include procedures for establishing quorum, requiring notice of meetings, & replacing members; authorizes district school board to review proposed bylaws. Amends 229.58. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/20/02 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 02248

04/05/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

04/16/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-49

S 2172 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Education; Brown-Waite (Similar H 0271, H 1435, CS/S 0088, 1ST ENG/S 1540, 1ST ENG/S 1572, CS/1ST ENG/S 2488, Compare H 1445, CS/H 1661, 1ST ENG/S 0086, CS/1ST ENG/S 1560, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1564, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1586, CS/1ST ENG/S 1590, CS/2ND ENG/S 1844, CS/1ST ENG/S 2022)

School Advisory Councils; requires school advisory councils to adopt bylaws; requires that bylaws include procedures for establishing quorum, requiring notice of meetings, & replacing members; requires district school board to annually review & approve proposed bylaws; authorizes demonstration program to be called Learning Gateway; creates steering committee; authorizes demonstration projects in specified counties, etc. Amends 229.58. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/20/02 SENATE Amendment(s) adopted -SJ 01051; Substituted CS/HB 1661 -SJ 01051; Laid on Table,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 1661 (Ch. 2002-49), CS/SB 1844 (Ch. 2002-265)

H 1829 *GENERAL BILL by Ritter; (CO-SPONSORS) Crow; Melvin (Compare S 2444)

Naturopathic Medicine; creates Board of Naturopathic Medicine; provides grounds for removal from board; provides rulemaking authority to board; provides general licensure requirements, including fees; transfers general regulatory powers & duties from Health Dept. to board; requires doctors of said medicine to observe regulatory requirements in same manner as, & with equal rights & obligations of, physicians of other schools of medicine, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

02/12/02 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00216

02/15/02 HOUSE Referred to Health Regulation (HCC); Fiscal Responsibility Council; Council for Healthy Communities -HJ 00264

03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Regulation (HCC)

S 2444 GENERAL BILL by Dawson; (CO-SPONSORS) Futch (Compare H 1829) Naturopathy; provides licensure exceptions; creates Board of Naturopathic Medicine; provides that licensees have same rights & obligations as other health care professionals; eliminates

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restrictions against soliciting patients, advertising, practicing under assumed name, & prescribing or dispensing certain growth hormones; revises continuing education requirements; provides for biennial licenses, etc. Amends Ch. 462. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

02/26/02 SENATE Introduced, referred to Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00322

03/07/02 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, 03/11/02, 7:15 pm, 110-S --Not considered

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care

H 1841 **GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Competitive Commerce; Insurance (CCC); Waters; Wiles; Brown; Lee; Kallinger; McGriff; (CO-SPONSORS) Sobel; Fields; Ross; Baker; Simmons; Clarke; Melvin; Negron (Similar CS/CS/S 1436, Compare S 1952)

Insurance Company Representatives; requires insurance agents to comply with certain consumer protection laws; requires DOI to accept uniform application for nonresident agent licensing; requires dept. to adopt rules establishing waiting periods for applicants for licensure under certain circumstances; provides requirements & procedures for certain agents licensed in other states to transfer licenses to this state under certain circumstances, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 10/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.

03/21/02 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 02761

04/17/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

04/29/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-206

S 1436 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Banking and Insurance; Posey (Similar CS/2ND ENG/H 1841, Compare S 1952)

Insurance Company Representatives; requires insurance agents to comply with certain consumer protection laws; requires dept. to accept uniform application for nonresident agent licensing; requires dept. to adopt rules establishing waiting periods for applicants for licensure under certain circumstances; provides requirements & procedures for certain agents licensed in other states to transfer licenses to this state under certain circumstances, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 10/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.

03/21/02 SENATE Amendment(s) adopted -SJ 01393; Substituted CS/HB 1841 -SJ 01394; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 1841 (Ch. 2002-206)

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- S 1952 GENERAL BILL by Sebesta (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 1841, CS/CS/S 1436) Insurance; exempts applicant for licensure as customer representative from examination requirements under certain conditions; exempts applicant for licensure as adjuster from examination requirements under certain conditions. Amends 626.221. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.
01/22/02 SENATE Filed
02/06/02 SENATE Introduced, referred to Banking and Insurance -SJ 00215
03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Banking and Insurance, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 1841 (Ch. 2002-206)
- H 1947 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Competitive Commerce; Insurance (CCC); Waters; (CO-SPONSORS) Simmons; Negron; Berfield; Brown; Clarke; Ross; McGriff; Kallinger; Fields; Melvin; Baker; Lee; Brummer (Compare CS/H 1121, CS/1ST ENG/H 1643, H 1655, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0108, S 1410, CS/S 1612, CS/S 2304, CS/CS/S 2340) Workers' Compensation; prohibits exempt individuals from doing construction work on commercial job sites; requires employers to maintain business records as specified by rules of Workers' Compensation Div., re exemptions from coverage; requires said division of LES Dept. to issue stop-work order upon failure to produce certain documents; specifies requirements for certifications of insurance that must be shown to receive building permit, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 01/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.
03/12/02 HOUSE Pending review of CS under Rule 6 -HJ 01087
03/13/02 HOUSE Placed on Calendar -HJ 01087
03/22/02 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 1643 (Ch. 2002-194), CS/CS/SB 108 (Ch. 2002-236)
- H 1121 GENERAL BILL/CS by Insurance (CCC); Pickens; (CO-SPONSORS) McGriff; Arza (Compare CS/H 1947, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0108) Workers' Compensation; specifies circumstances under which firefighters, emergency medical technicians, & paramedics are considered to be acting within scope of their employment so as to qualify for workers' compensation benefits; provides declaration of important state interest. Amends 440.091. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.
03/13/02 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Substituted CS/CS/SB 108; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 108 (Ch. 2002-236) -HJ 01159
- H 1643 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Council for Smarter Government; Clarke (Linked H 1997, H 1999, H 2013, Similar CS/CS/S 2340, Compare CS/H 1947, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0108, CS/S 0644, CS/S 2304) Labor & Employment Security Dept.; transfers & reassigns divisions,

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- H 1643 (Continued)
functions, & responsibilities of LES Dept.; provides for type two transfer of Workers' Compensation Div. to DOI; provides for type two transfer of workers' compensation rehabilitation & reemployment services to DOE; provides for type two transfer of administration of child labor laws to DBPR; establishes Workers' Compensation Div. within DOI, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.
03/22/02 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 03155
04/15/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
04/25/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-194; See also CS/CS/SB 108 (Ch. 2002-236)
- H 1655 GENERAL BILL by Ross (Compare CS/H 1947, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0108, CS/S 1612, CS/S 2304)
Workers' Compensation; revises definitions; revises exemptions from requirement for employers to obtain workers' compensation coverage; specifies who may be exempt & conditions for exemption; requires employers to secure compensation; authorizes Workers' Compensation Div. to issue stop-work orders in certain circumstances; specifies governance of costs for independent medical exams, etc. Amends Ch. 440. Effective Date: 01/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.
02/05/02 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00185
02/11/02 HOUSE Referred to Insurance (CCC); Fiscal Responsibility Council; Council for Competitive Commerce -HJ 00220
03/22/02 HOUSE Died in Committee on Insurance (CCC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 108 (Ch. 2002-236)
- S 0108 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Banking and Insurance; Smith (Compare H 0005, CS/H 1121, CS/1ST ENG/H 1643, H 1655, CS/H 1947, S 0278, CS/S 1612, CS/S 2304, CS/CS/S 2340)
Workers' Compensation; specifies circumstances under which firefighters, emergency medical technicians, & paramedics are considered to be acting within scope of their employment so as to qualify for workers' compensation benefits; expands provisions of law re disability in line of duty to include all law enforcement officers & certain correctional officers; revises criteria for anti-fraud program, etc. Amends Ch. 440, 489.114,.510, 112.18, 626.9892. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.
03/22/02 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 01643
05/01/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
05/08/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-236; See also CS/HB 1643 (Ch. 2002-194)
- S 1410 GENERAL BILL by Posey (Compare CS/H 1947)
Law Enforcement Officers; consolidates various provisions re when officer is acting within course of employment into single section. Transfers & amends 440.091; amends 440.092; repeals 440.15. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
01/30/02 SENATE Introduced, referred to Governmental Oversight and

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- S 1410 (Continued)
 01/30/02 SENATE Productivity; Banking and Insurance -SJ 00155
 01/31/02 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Governmental Oversight and Productivity, 02/05/02, 1:00 pm, 37-S --Temporarily postponed
 03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity
- S 1612 GENERAL BILL/CS by Banking and Insurance; Posey (Compare H 1655, CS/H 1947, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0108, CS/S 2304)
Workers' Compensation; redefines terms "employee" & "independent contractor"; prohibits exemptions from coverage for commercial construction job sites; specifies requirements for certificates of insurance that must be shown to receive building permit; requires & authorizes Workers' Compensation Div. to issue stop-work orders & to impose certain penalties against employers who fail to secure compensation; revises criteria for anti-fraud program, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.
 03/04/02 SENATE CS read first time on 03/06/02 -SJ 00446
 03/06/02 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government -SJ 00434
 03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 108 (Ch. 2002-236)
- S 2304 GENERAL BILL/CS by Banking and Insurance; Latvala (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 1643, H 1655, CS/H 1947, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0108, CS/S 1612, CS/CS/S 2340)
Workers' Compensation; requires employers to maintain business records specified by rules of Workers' Compensation, relative to exemptions from coverage; specifies requirements for certificates of insurance that must be shown to receive building permit; requires employers to post notice re anti-fraud reward program; requires DOI to conduct study re workers' compensation for persons engaged in construction industry, etc. Amends Chs. 440, 489, 626.9892. Effective Date: 10/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.
 03/12/02 SENATE CS read first time on 03/13/02 -SJ 00520
 03/13/02 SENATE Now in Judiciary -SJ 00511
 03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Judiciary, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 1643 (Ch. 2002-194), CS/CS/SB 108 (Ch. 2002-236)
- S 2340 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Commerce and Economic Opportunities; Banking and Insurance; Clary (Similar CS/1ST ENG/H 1643, Compare CS/H 1947, H 1997, H 1999, H 2013, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0108, CS/S 0644, CS/S 2304)
Government Reorganization; transfers & reassigns divisions, functions, & responsibilities of LES Dept.; provides for type two transfer of Workers' Compensation Div. to DOI; provides for type two transfer of workers' compensation medical services to AHCA; provides for type two transfer of workers' compensation

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rehabilitation & reemployment services to DOE; provides for type two transfer of administration of child labor laws to DBPR, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.

03/22/02 SENATE Amendment(s) adopted -SJ 02072; Substituted CS/HB 1643 -SJ 02073; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 1643 (Ch. 2002-194), CS/CS/SB 108 (Ch. 2002-236)

H 2005 **LOCAL BILL by Evers; (CO-SPONSORS) Melvin (Identical S 2648)

Santa Rosa Co. Civil Service Board; amends specified provision re Santa Rosa Co. Civil Service Board; revises applicability of act & civil service system; adds, repeals, & revises definitions; revises method of selecting board; repeals provisions re hiring outside civil service act, certification of payrolls, classified pay plan, efficiency standards, registers, filling vacancies, extraordinary appointments, workers' compensation, reports of actions, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/22/02 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 03155

04/10/02 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

04/24/02 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2002-385

S 2648 LOCAL BILL by Clary (Identical H 2005)

Santa Rosa Co. Civil Service Board; amends specified provision re Santa Rosa Co. Civil Service Board; revises applicability of act & civil service system; adds, repeals, & revises definitions; revises method of selecting board; repeals provisions re hiring outside civil service act, certification of payrolls, classified pay plan, efficiency standards, registers, filling vacancies, extraordinary appointments, workers' compensation, reports of actions, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

03/05/02 SENATE Filed

03/13/02 SENATE Introduced, referred to Rules and Calendar -SJ 00512

03/22/02 SENATE Died in Committee on Rules and Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 2005 (Ch. 2002-385)

H 9019 **RESOLUTION by Brown; (CO-SPONSORS) Meador; Kottkamp; Kilmer; Rubio; Kallinger; Dockery; Kravitz; Mack; Harrell; Murman; Ross; Benson; Mayfield; Carassas; Berfield; Needelman; Mahon; Green; Detert; Bean; Allen; Baker; Brummer; Melvin; Gannon; Pickens; Cantens; Baxley; Stansel; Meadows; Greenstein; Spratt; Wilson; Garcia; Davis; Holloway; Alexander; Argenziano; Arza; Attkisson; Atwater; Ausley; Ball; Barreiro; Bendross-Mindingall; Bennett; Bense; Betancourt; Bilirakis; Bowen; Brutus; Bucher; Bullard; Byrd;

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Clarke; Crow; Cusack; Diaz de la Portilla; Diaz-Balart; Evers; Farkas; Fasano; Feeney; Fields; Fiorentino; Flanagan; Frankel; Gardiner; Gelber; Gibson; Goodlette; Gottlieb; Haridopolos; Harper; Harrington; Hart; Henriquez; Heyman; Hogan; Jennings; Johnson; Jordan; Joyner; Justice; Kendrick; Kosmas; Kyle; Lee; Lerner; Littlefield; Lynn; Machek; Maygarden; McGriff; Negron; Paul; Peterman; Prieguez; Rich; Richardson; Ritter; Romeo; Russell; Ryan; Seiler; Simmons; Slosberg; Smith; Sobel; Sorensen; Trovillion; Wallace; Waters; Weissman; Wiles; Wishner

Youth Appreciation Week; pays tribute to nation's young people & designates week of August 4-10, 2002, as "Youth Appreciation Week" in Florida, a time in which adult population is encouraged to demonstrate its sincere appreciation for consistent day-to-day actions of our youth as well as for occasional heroic effort that captures attention of entire state & nation.

03/06/02 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar -HJ 00760; Read second time -HJ 00761; Adopted -HJ 00761

H 9021 **RESOLUTION by Fasano; (CO-SPONSORS) Alexander; Allen; Argenziano; Arza; Attkisson; Ausley; Baker; Ball; Barreiro; Baxley; Bean; Bendross-Mindingall; Bennett; Bense; Benson; Berfield; Betancourt; Bilirakis; Bowen; Brown; Brummer; Brutus; Bullard; Byrd; Cantens; Carassas; Clarke; Crow; Cusack; Davis; Detert; Diaz de la Portilla; Diaz-Balart; Dockery; Evers; Farkas; Feeney; Fields; Fiorentino; Flanagan; Gannon; Gardiner; Gelber; Gibson; Goodlette; Gottlieb; Green; Haridopolos; Harrell; Harrington; Hart; Henriquez; Hogan; Holloway; Johnson; Jordan; Kallinger; Kendrick; Kilmer; Kravitz; Kyle; Lacasa; Littlefield; Lynn; Machek; Mack; Mahon; Mayfield; Maygarden; McGriff; Meadows; Meador; Melvin; Murman; Needelman; Negron; Paul; Pickens; Prieguez; Romeo; Ross; Rubio; Ryan; Seiler; Simmons; Siplin; Slosberg; Sorensen; Spratt; Stansel; Trovillion; Wallace; Waters; Wishner

Ronald Reagan Day; declares February 6, 2002, as "Ronald Reagan Day" in State of Florida.

02/05/02 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00169; Read second time -HJ 00170; Adopted -HJ 00170

H 9077 **RESOLUTION by Harrell; Lynn; Needelman; (CO-SPONSORS) Green; Fasano; Baxley; Brown; Evers; Meador; Ross; Hogan; Jordan; Benson; Hart; Carassas; Bilirakis; Mack; Harper; Jennings; Kravitz; Haridopolos; Harrington; Baker; Allen; Negron; Bean; Berfield; Garcia; Mayfield; Bennett; Mahon; Pickens; Kottkamp; Bowen; Atwater; Gibson; Davis; Rubio; Simmons; Clarke; Kallinger; Arza; Byrd; Maygarden; Bense; Gardiner; Alexander; Spratt; Cantens; Paul; Johnson; Attkisson; Farkas; Detert; Argenziano; Kilmer; Barreiro;

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Bendross-Mindingall; Brummer; Bucher; Bullard; Crow; Cusack;
Diaz-Balart; Feeney; Fields; Fiorentino; Flanagan; Frankel; Gannon;
Goodlette; Gottlieb; Greenstein; Henriquez; Heyman; Holloway;
Joyner; Justice; Kendrick; Kosmas; Kyle; Lee; Lerner; Littlefield;
Machek; McGriff; Meadows; Murman; Peterman; Prieguez; Rich;
Richardson; Ritter; Romeo; Russell; Ryan; Slosberg; Smith; Sobel;
Sorensen; Stansel; Waters; Weissman; Wiles; Wilson
Six Months Tribute/Sept. 11, 2001; pays tribute to America's law
enforcement officers, firefighters, & emergency medical technicians
on six-month anniversary of tragic events of September 11, 2001.
03/04/02 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00367
03/11/02 HOUSE Read second time -HJ 00948; Adopted -HJ 00949

H 9083 *RESOLUTION by Kottkamp; Mahon; (CO-SPONSORS) Waters; Flanagan;
Holloway; Ausley; Allen; Bullard; Bucher; Diaz de la Portilla;
Seiler; Melvin; Clarke (Similar S 2530)
F.S.U. Day/March 5, 2002; designates March 5, 2002, as "F.S.U. Day"
in Tallahassee.

03/05/02 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar -HJ 00372; Read
second time -HJ 00753; Adopted; See also SR 2530
(Adopted) -HJ 00754

S 2530 RESOLUTION by King (Similar H 9083)
F.S.U. Day/March 5, 2002; celebrates March 5, 2002, as "F.S.U. Day"
in Tallahassee, in honor of Florida State University's contribution
as outstanding institution of higher education.

02/28/02 SENATE Introduced -SJ 00361; Read second time -SJ 00361;
Adopted; See also HR 9083 (Adopted) -SJ 00361

H 9101 *RESOLUTION by Green; (CO-SPONSORS) Goodlette; Simmons; Rubio; Ross;
Maygarden; Paul; Kilmer; Negron; Alexander; Murman; Brummer;
Needelman; Bowen; Littlefield; Fiorentino; Kottkamp; Mayfield;
Fasano; Ball; Byrd; Russell; Harrell; Harrington; Atwater; Farkas;
Gibson; Clarke; Bilirakis; Bense; Hart; Argenziano; Detert;
Stansel; Kendrick; Hogan; Benson; Allen; Lynn; Waters; Richardson;
Spratt; Bennett; Ryan; Sobel; Ritter; Rich; Lerner; Romeo; Cusack;
Crow; Sorensen; Garcia; Cantens; Mahon; Gardiner; Trovillion;
Melvin; Mack (Similar S 2652)

Oral Anticancer Drugs/Elderly; recognizes importance of legislation
providing oral anticancer drugs to elderly citizens.

03/19/02 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 02160

03/21/02 HOUSE Placed on Ceremonial Resolutions Calendar -
Publication only -HJ 02762; Adopted -HJ 02762

S 2652 RESOLUTION by Saunders (Similar H 9101)
Medicare/Oral Anti-Cancer Drugs; expresses support for

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consideration by Congress of United States of legislation requiring Medicare program to cover all oral anti-cancer drugs.

03/05/02 SENATE Filed

03/22/02 SENATE Died, not introduced, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,
refer to HR 9101 (Adopted)

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